R A L P H BILL STATUS March 31, 2003 REPORT OF LAST DAY'S ACTION - SENATE

SB 1 CAIN APPROPRIATIONS

Constitutional amendment to require that the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget submit state operating budget and capital outlay program to the legislature. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.

SB 2 DUPRE FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS

Exempts a commercial fisherman from having to possess a "mobile food vendor's permit".

Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 3 DUPRE FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS

SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

EDUCATION.

Authorizes the purchase of an additional fresh products license, to authorize the spouse of a commercial fisherman to sell the catch while the commercial fisherman continues to fish.

Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.  $\,$ 

- SB 4 MCPHERSON STATE OFFICIALS
  Prohibits the expenditure of any state funds where a public official is mentioned in any commercial advertisement.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on
- SB 5 MCPHERSON CAMPAIGN FINANCE
  Provides relative to entities who accept contributions and make independent expenditures. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 6 DUPRE ELECTION CODE

  Provides for a detailed qualification form for candidates for public office to include information relative to criminal history.

  Pood by title and referred to the committee or

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

- SB 7 THEUNISSEN TOPS
  Extends time for military personnel to declare La. their home of record for TOPS eligibility from 60 days after reporting to 180 days. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
- SB 8 GAUTREAUX COURTS
  Provides for an additional \$20 court cost for juvenile offender services for the city court of Morgan City.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.
- SB 9 MCPHERSON SHERIFFS
  Enables sheriffs to participate in the matched portion of an eligible deferred compensation plan offered to state and local government employees.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 10 THEUNISSEN LOCAL FINANCE

  Provides for the use of unexpended and unencumbered funds in the witness fee account for the town of Welsh. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.
- SB 11 DUPRE VOTERS/VOTING
  Provides that the absentee vote of a voter who dies before the opening of the polls shall be counted.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 12 DUPRE COURTS
  Provides for the office of commissioner for the City Court of Houma. (gov sig)
  Read by title.
  Withdrawn from the files of the Senate.
- SB 13 DUPRE FISH/FISHING
  Provides for size limits on unboiled crabs.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

- SB 14 CAIN FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS Provides for senior licensing privileges for saltwater charter boat fishing guides. Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES. SB 15 PUBLIC HEALTH Permits "generic" training for maintenance of individual sewer systems. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. SB 16 DUPRE SEAFOOD Exempts persons transporting seafood products between certain facilities owned by the same seafood processor from requirements to obtain a transport license or to possess a receipt, invoice, or bill of lading.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES. SB 17 DUPRE WILDLIFE/FISHERIES DEPT Provides for nominations to the governor for appointments to the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission. Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES. SB 18 M SMITH CRIME/PUNISHMENT Expands the definition of the crime of computer tampering to include unauthorized revealing of information accessed from a computer by a repair or maintenance person. Read by title. Withdrawn from the files of the Senate. SB 19 M SMITH UNCLAIMED PROPERTY Provides relative to reporting of abandoned property to the state by public institutions of higher education. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE. SB 20 M SMITH ANIMALS Provides relative to the liability of an owner of a dog that kills, wounds, or harasses livestock. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A. SB 21 FUNDS/FUNDING Revises dedications of money in the Vernon Parish Community Improvement Fund. (7/1/03) Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS. SB 2.2 MARIONNEAUX CREDIT Prohibits the unsolicited mailing of credit card applications. Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. SB 23 MARIONNEAUX APPOINTED OFFICIALS Provides that certain persons appointed to boards and commissions be reconfirmed each legislative term. Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. SB 24 AMUSEMENTS/SPORTS Extends the inspection period for air-supported amusement structures. Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. SB 25 M SMITH UTILITIES Requires equal representation of members of an electric cooperative district. Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. SB 26 THEUNISSEN **VETERANS** Provides for membership on the Louisiana Veterans Affairs Commission. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 27 HAINKEL HUNTERS/HUNTING
  Prohibits the use of aircraft for taking or spotting of wild turkey or white-tailed deer.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 28 DUPRE MOTOR VEHICLES Creates the "America's WETLAND" prestige license plate. (gov Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS. SB 29 COASTAL RESOURCES Designates the loss of coastal wetlands to be our "state crisis". (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES. 30 SB VOTERS/VOTING Changes the time for opening and closing of the polls on certain election days and increasing compensation for commissioners. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. SB 31 DUPRE PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS Provides for compensation of members of the Greater Lafourche Port Commission. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS. DUPRE SPECIAL DISTRICTS
Provides for appointment to the board of commissioners of the SB 32 Terrebonne Levee and Conservation District if a vacancy occurs. Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. SB 33 SPECIAL DISTRICTS Provides for the membership of the board of commissioners of the South Lafourche Levee District. Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. SPECIAL DISTRICTS SB 34 DUPRE Provides for membership of the board of commissioners of the North Lafourche Conservation, Levee and Drainage District. Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. SB 35 GAUTREAUX FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS Authorizes the department to diqualify applicants for renewal of the fresh products license. Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES. SB 36 GAUTREAUX FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS Repeals the requirement for a fresh products license. Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES. SB 37 SEAFOOD GAUTREAUX Requires minimum size limits on commercial seafood products prior to first sale or purchase. Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES. SB 38 CURRICULA Requires the free enterprise curriculum to include instruction in personal finance beginning with the 2004-2005 school year. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION. SB 39 MOTOR VEHICLES DUPRE Authorizes placement of America's WETLAND: Campaign to Save Coastal Louisiana stickers on public vehicles. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE. SB 40 SCHEDLER JUVENILES Rescinds confidentiality provisions regarding juvenile crime victims for the purposes of child abduction alert systems, such as the AMBER Alert network. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

ROADS/HIGHWAYS

TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

Provides for owners of property necessary for highway rights-of-way to apply for early acquisition of the property by

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DOTD.

SB 42 PUBLIC CONTRACTS MCPHERSON Requires public entities issuing an addendum to a bid within a period of seven days prior to opening of the bids to notify the project's prime bidders by fax or e-mail on the date of the addendum issuance. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.

SB 43 MCPHERSON TAX/TAXATION Constitutional amendment to authorize the levy of a tax on the use of hydrocarbon processing facilities and a repeal of severance tax on such hydrocarbons if the tax is determined to be valid. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 44 MCPHERSON ROADS/HIGHWAYS

> Provides for DOTD to require alternate bids on highway project contracts.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 45 MCPHERSON FISH/FISHING

Authorizes the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to establish a program for removal of abandoned crab traps.

Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 46 MCPHERSON TOPS

Permits, subject to certain limitations, subsequent use of TOPS awards at eligilble La. institutions by otherwise qualified students who attended out-of-state colleges or universities. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 47 MCPHERSON HUNTERS/HUNTING

Constitutional amendment to preserve the freedom to hunt, fish and trap subject to reasonable regulation, restriction, or prohibition imposed pursuant to law. (2/3-CA13s1(A)) Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 48 HAINKEL ROADS/HIGHWAYS

Names the I-10 bridge over the Mississippi River at Baton Rouge for Congressman Jimmy Morrison.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

49 FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS SB

Authorizes the purchase of a four-year wholesale/retail dealer's license and a four-year transport license. Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SCHOOLS SB 50 THEUNISSEN

Eliminates caps on teacher and support person of the year awards and provides for school board approval. Read by title and referred to the committee on

EDUCATION.

VOTERS/VOTING SB 51 C FIELDS

Provides for reinstatement of voter registration upon discharge from confinement for a felony conviction.

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 52 INSURANCE DEPARTMENT C FIELDS

Requires every rate increase or decrease be approved by the La. Insurance Rating Commission.

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 53 C FIELDS AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE

Restricts limitation of recovery for uninsured motorist to accidents occurring while operating a motor vehicle. Read by title and referred to the committee on

INSURANCE.

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT SB C FIELDS 54

> Authorizes Louisiana Insurance Rating Commission to mandate changes in insurance rates.
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> Read by title and referred to the committee on

INSURANCE.

55 C FIELDS AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE SB

Prohibits insurers from cancelling an automobile insurance policy under certain circumstances.

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

- SB 56 C FIELDS INSURERS
  - Prohibits use of credit information in issuing or renewing automobile policies and determining premiums.

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 57 C FIELDS MOTOR VEHICLES

Provides for enforcement of the compulsory motor vehicle liability security law.

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 58 MCPHERSON SCHOOLS

Authorizes the administration of certain comfort measures by school nurses and trained personnel in schools.

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 59 GAUTREAUX TAX/SALES

Excludes from state and local sales tax a lease or rental of tangible personal property made for the purpose of re-lease or re-rental. (7/1/03)

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 60 LENTINI TRESPASS

Constitutional amendment to provide that a person must have authorization, either express, legal or implied, to enter upon or remain upon the private property of another, whether movable or immovable. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 61 C D JONES SPECIAL DISTRICTS

Creates the Monroe and Northeast Louisiana Technology and Business Incubation Center.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 62 MCPHERSON CIVIL PROCEDURE

Provides that the father or the mother is the proper party to enforce a right of or an obligation against an unemancipated minor.

Read by title and referred to the committee on  ${\tt JUDICIARY\ A.}$ 

SB 63 HOLLIS SENATE

Corrects various statutes to reflect the correct name of the Senate Commerce Committee.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 64 M SMITH PRESCRIPTION

Provides for prescription of debts due institutions of higher education in ten years. (gov. sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 65 C FIELDS TAX/INCOME/PERSONAL

Provides a refundable, state earned income tax credit equal to

20% of the federal credit. (1/1/04)
Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 66 C FIELDS TAX/INCOME/PERSONAL

Authorizes a refundable income tax credit based on a percentage of the federal "child and dependent care expense" credit, graduated according to income. (1/1/04)

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 67 C FIELDS HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT

Creates the Fair Market Pricing Act. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 68 M SMITH LOCAL OFFICIALS

Provides that the chief of police for the Village of Dry Prong be appointed rather than elected.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 69 GAUTREAUX FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS

Authorizes the purchase of a four-year wholesale/retail

dealer's license and a four-year transport license.
Read by title and referred to the committee on
NATURAL RESOURCES.

- SB 70 GAUTREAUX MOTOR VEHICLES

  Prohibits driving a motor vehicle with a television capable of receiving any pre-recorded visual presentation, such as videotapes, films, or digital video discs, unless the television is behind the driver's seat or not visible to the dri Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 71 DUPRE DWI
  Provides for penalities for a driver who refuses to submit to a chemical test after his involvement in a fatal crash or a crash resulting in serious injury which involves alcohol.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 72 DUPRE DWI
  Prohibits mail order purchasing of an ignition interlock device required as a condition of probation for a DWI offense.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 73 MARIONNEAUX DWI
  Prohibits persons arrested for operating a vehicle while intoxicated from participating in any pretrial diversion program.
  Read by title.
  Withdrawn from the files of the Senate.
- SB 74 MARIONNEAUX CIVIL PROCEDURE
  Increases the monetary threshold necessary to request a jury trial.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 75 MARIONNEAUX HUNTERS/HUNTING
  Defines a legal buck statewide as an antlered deer having six or more points.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 76 ELLINGTON SHERIFFS
  Requires that the insurance premiums of the sheriff and certain deputy sheriffs of LaSalle Parish shall be paid in full from the sheriff's general fund.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- SB 77 MOUNT CHILDREN

  Provides relative to proximity of licensed day care centers to certain alcohol service providers and places day care centers in drug free zones.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 78 DARDENNE AIRCRAFT/AVIATION
  Redefines the term "fixed base operator".
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 79 HOYT PUBLIC LANDS

  Provides procedure for acceptance of immovables by the state.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 80 HOYT EMPLOYMENT

  Requires employers to grant leave to employees who are volunteer firefighters and prohibits employers from terminating an employee due to firefighting activities.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.
- SB 81 HOYT ELECTION DAYS
  Eliminates the January and July election dates available for bond, tax, or other proposition elections.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 82 THEUNISSEN TOPS
  Adds Agriscience I and II to the list of sciences that may be taken as part of the TOPS curriculum. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

- SB 83 THEUNISSEN EDUCATION DEPARTMENT Re-creates the Department of Education and its agencies. Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION. SB 84 THEUNISSEN FUNDS/FUNDING Extends authorization for the appropriation of state funds for the Monkey Island Ferry to July 1, 2005. Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS. SB 85 C FIELDS PROBATION/PAROLE Provides for parole hearings every six years for prisoners serving life sentences for nonviolent offenses. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B. HINES SB 86 HEALTH CARE Creates the Louisiana Seniors Pharmacy Assistance Program. (gov siq) Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. LOTTERIES SB 87 HOYT Provides for per diem rather than salary for Louisiana Lottery Corporation board members. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. SB 88 DUPRE SAFETY REGULATIONS Requires rear seat occupant of a motor vehicle to use a safety belt. Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS. PUBLIC CONTRACTS SB 89 MCPHERSON Provides for a small business set aside for information technology.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE. SB 90 MCPHERSON INTERNET Creates a "no junk mail" listing of residential electronic mail subscribers. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. SB 91 C D JONES CRIME/PUNISHMENT Authorizes parole eligibility for persons sentenced to life imprisonment upon serving at least 30 years in actual custody, reaching the age of 60 years, and having participated in relevant treatment programs. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B. SB 92 C D JONES CRIME/PUNISHMENT Expands crime of making false statements relative to forest products during a transaction to include false statements regarding ownership interest, tract name, or property description. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C. C D JONES SB 93 COURTS Establishes a pilot program for the alternative disposition of DPS&C inmates into placements in which they can provide certain services. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B. PROBATION/PAROLE SB 94 C D JONES Provides for parole eligibility consideration for persons convicted of first or second offenses for certain crimes. Read by title and referred to the committee on  ${\tt JUDICIARY~B.}$
- SB 95 C D JONES PROBATION/PAROLE
  Requires parole for any inmate having served 20 years of his sentence under certain conditions.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- SB 96 C D JONES PROBATION/PAROLE
  Authorizes medical parole eligibility for terminally ill and

permanently incapacitated inmates without Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections referral and for first and second degree murder offenders.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 97 MARIONNEAUX INSURANCE POLICIES

Requires managed care plans and organizations to offer a consumer choice option.

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

CRIME/PUNISHMENT SB 98 LENTINI

Replaces a series of trespass crimes with the crime of unauthorized entry.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 99 WATER/WATERWAYS CAIN

> Requires limited liability corporations who drill groundwater wells to obtain licenses.

Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.

SB 100 ROADS/HIGHWAYS

Designates portions of Highway 110 in the town of Merryville as the "C.E. Buddy Slaydon Memorial Drive."

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 101 CAIN ROADS/HIGHWAYS

Designates a portion of Highway 109 and 389 in Beauregard Parish as the "Frank Hennigan Memorial Drive." Read by title and referred to the committee on

TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

AMUSEMENTS/SPORTS 102 SB HINES

Adds additional requirements for operators of an air-supported amusement structure.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 103 HOLDEN SPECIAL DISTRICTS

Authorizes the St. Helena Parish Police Jury to operate,

regulate, or subsidize ambulatory services.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 104 SEIZURES/SALES

Provides exemption for certain vehicles from seizure.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 105 CHAISSON JUDGES

Provides for an increase in the nonrefundable civil filing fee that is credited to the Judges' Supplemental Compensation Fund.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 106 C FIELDS COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS

Prohibits a business from requiring or obtaining an

individual's personal information when transacting a cash sale. Read by title and referred to the committee on

COMMERCE.

SB 107 C FIELDS LOANS

Creates the Predatory Lending Prevention Act to regulate

"high-cost home loans". (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on  ${\tt COMMERCE}$  .

SB 108 HOYT CRIME/PUNISHMENT

> Authorizes each judicial district court to establish job intervention programs for certain nonviolent first-time

offenders. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on

JUDICIARY C.

109 SPECIAL DISTRICTS SB DUPRE

Codifies certain laws concerning the Bayou Lafourche Freshwater

District.

Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.

SB 110 STUDENTS

Provides with regard to disciplining a student in possession of

a small knife. Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 111 HAINKEL SCHOOLS

Constitutional amendment to compose the Orleans Parish School Board of seven members appointed by various college presidents and appointed by the mayor of New Orleans, beginning in 2005. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 112 EDUCATION ACCOUNTABILITY THEUNISSEN

Allows distinguished educators to extend their employment up to 6 years at certain low performing schools. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 113 MOTOR VEHICLES DUPRE

Requires the Dept. of Public Safety and Correction to suspend for 12 months the driver's license of a person guilty of a hitand-run violation if the accident resulted in death or serious bodily injury.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 114 HAINKEL TAX/TAXATION

Increases the tax commission from three members to five members. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

115 LENTINI CONTRACTS SB

> Prohibits mandatory arbitration clauses on consumer credit cards.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

116 DARDENNE AGED PERSONS SB

Requires DSS to promulgate rules to require adult residential care homes to provide for residents during times of emergency and natural disasters.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 117 **GAUTREAUX** 

Requires drug tests and subjection to random drug screens for TOPS qualifiers as a requirement for initial and continuing eligibility. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

118 SB C FIELDS COURTS

Constitutional amendment provides for nine supreme court districts. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 119 C FIELDS CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Declares a moratorium on the death penalty and creates a commission to study capital punishment in the state. (7/1/03)Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 120 PUBLIC CONTRACTS LENTINI

Allows a public works contract to contain provisions which may require a contractor to reimburse a design professional under certain circumstances. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE SB 121 MALONE

Increases automobile insurance requirements.

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 122 DUPRE SHRIMP/SHRIMPING

Authorizes the use of butterfly and bottom nets in Oyster Bayou.

Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

MOTOR VEHICLES SB 123

Provides that the slogan at the bottom of the regular state license plate be "America's WETLAND". (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on

- SB 124 C FIELDS CRIME/PUNISHMENT
  Creates the Louisiana Death Sentence Study Commission to study capital punishment in the state. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 125 C FIELDS CRIME/PUNISHMENT

  Requires the withdrawal and testing of DNA samples at the request of certain persons confined, paroled, or otherwise released due to conviction or pleading guilty to certain offenses.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 126 THEUNISSEN TEACHERS
Increases membership on the State Advisory Commission on
Teacher Education and Certification from 11 to 13 members. (gov sig)
Read by title and referred to the committee on

Read by title and referred to the committee or EDUCATION.

- SB 127 IRONS TAX/SALES
  Prohibits the imposition of state and local sales tax on shipping and handling charges.
  Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- THEUNISSEN TEACHERS

  Establishes the principal of the year awards by law and allows the recipients of both the outstanding state teacher and principal awards to receive certain monetary awards from private sources without violating the ethics code. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.
- SB 129 DUPRE MOTOR VEHICLES
  Increases from \$25 to \$35 the maximum fee, per student, for a prelicensing training driver education course. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))
  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 130 C FIELDS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
  Creates the "Economic Development and Fiscal Accountability".
  (7/1/03)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  COMMERCE.
- SB 131 HAINKEL RETIREMENT SYSTEMS

  Provides annual cost-of-living adjustment for judges and widows of such judges who did not opt to become members of the Louisianana State Employees' Retirement System. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 132 LAMBERT SPECIAL DISTRICTS
  Increases the membership of the River Region Cancer Screening and Early Detection District Board of Commissioners.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 133 HOYT PUBLIC CONTRACTS

  Provides preference for expanded shale or clay from

  American-owned companies having in-state operations but with

  processing activities outside the state. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 134 HOYT PRIVILEGES/LIENS
  Provides a lien for certified real estate appraisers.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  JUDICIARY A.
- SB 135 GAUTREAUX TAX/TAXATION
  Includes as "bona fide agricultural land" subject to "use value" (rather than fair market value) property tax assessment the use of agricultural lands by an owner-occupier of a tract of at least 8 acres if at least 3 acres are used as a fam Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.
- SB 136 CHAISSON MOTOR VEHICLES

  Requires any person who operates or rides upon a motorcycle to wear a safety helmet.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

- SB 137 HAINKEL TRUSTS

  Creates and provides for the Louisiana State Finance Authority.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.
- SB 138 DARDENNE INSURERS

  Requires health insurance policies to provide coverage for services rendered by registered nurse first assistants.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.
- SB 139 HOYT REAPPORTIONMENT
  Authorizes school boards to divide precincts for purposes of redistricting. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 140 ELLINGTON ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

  Provides tracking procedures for kegs of malt beverages consumed off premises.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 141 DUPRE SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS
  Provides for a restriction to commercial driver's licenses
  which would permit operation only of a school bus under certain
  circumstances.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 142 DUPRE DWI
  Increases penalties for third and fourth offense of driving under the influence and authorizes the court to impose immediate sanctions on offenders during home incarceration.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- DUPRE DWI
  Increases penalties relative to first or second offense driving while intoxicated when the offender has a BAC of 0.20 or more and prohibits a restricted driver's license under certain circumstances.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 144 C ROMERO MOTOR VEHICLES

  Creates the Junior Golf special prestige license plate.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 145 MICHOT HEALTH CARE
  Extends legislative authority to recommend that the governor require DHH to promulgate rules regarding home health licensure surveys.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 146 M SMITH LIBRARIES

  Authorizes the expenditure of a tax passage for Winn Parish library boards.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- SB 147 M SMITH FORESTRY
  Provides an exception for treated wood poles and piling from preferences for products produced or manufactured in the state.

  (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on AGRICULTURE.
- SB 148 M SMITH LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS

  Constitutional amendment to provide for the date that annual regular legislative sessions shall convene. (01/01/04) (2/3-CA 13sl(A))

  Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 149 M SMITH FORESTRY

  Provides for the sale of undivided interest in timber. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on AGRICULTURE.
- SB 150 DUPRE CONTRACTS
  Provides that contingent fee agreement between an insured and a

public adjuster is against public policy and is null and void. Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

- SB 151 COURTS
  - Provides for justices of the peace courts and their constables to be indemnified by the state. (gov sig)
    Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- 152 LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS SB MALONE Constitutional amendment to provide for the maximum number of

senators. (2/3-CA13s1(A))Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 153 SCHEDLER FUNDS/FUNDING

> Constitutional amendment to create the Medicaid Trust Fund for the Elderly and the Louisiana Elderly Support Fund for dispersing funds. (2/3-CA13s1(A))Read by title and referred to the committee on

HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 154 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT

Extends the moratorium on home health agencies to July 1, 2005. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

155 COUNSELING/GUIDANCE SB SCHEDLER

Provides for the documentation and verification of national board-certified school counselors and specifies the timing of the initial salary supplement payment. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

156 FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS SB SCHEDLER

Creates the Louisiana Board of Opticianry and provides for licensing/regulations of dispensing opticians. (gov sig) (2/3-CA7s2.1)

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 157 FUNDS/FUNDING

Constitutional amendment to establish and to provide for the Parish Capital Outlay Fund. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on

REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 158 MCPHERSON FUNDS/FUNDING

Constitutional amendment to establish the White Lake Property (2/3-CA13s1(A))Fund.

Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.

MALONE SB 159 ELECTED OFFICIALS

Constitutional amendment to require that certain elected officials resign their current position to run for another office.  $(2/3-C\overline{A}13s1(A))$ 

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 160 MALONE SENATE

Constitutional amendment to provide for the lieutenant governor to be the presiding officer of the Senate. (2/3-CA13s1(A))Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

CIVIL SERVICE SB 161 BOISSIERE

Constitutional amendment to remove the offices of clerk of the Municipal Court and clerk of the Traffic Court of New Orleans from the classified civil service. (2/3-CA13s1(A)) Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 162 CIVIL PROCEDURE C FIELDS

Constitutional amendment to limit appellate jurisdiction of a court of appeal to questions of law. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 163 C FIELDS TAX EXEMPTIONS

Constitutional amendment to provide that all 10-Year Industrial Exemption contracts entered into or renewed after 12/31/03 shall not apply to taxes levied for purposes related to elementary and secondary education. (1/1/04) (2/3-CA13s1(A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

- SB 164 C FIELDS PROBATION/PAROLE
  Provides for majority vote of parole members to grant parole.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  JUDICIARY B.
- SB 165 C FIELDS RAILROADS
  Prohibits storage of hazardous materials in transport vehicles near residential areas.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.
- SB 166 C FIELDS EDUCATION ACCOUNTABILITY
  Creates the "School Testing Right to Know" law. (07/01/03)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  EDUCATION.
- SB 167 C FIELDS CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE
  Provides reduced penalties for persons convicted of
  distribution or possession with intent to distribute of
  Schedule I narcotic drugs where the amount is less than three
  grams. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  JUDICIARY C.
- SB 168 C FIELDS LAW ENFORCEMENT
  Creates the Racial Profiling Prevention Act.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  JUDICIARY B.

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- SB 169 C FIELDS CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES
  Requires any contract for telecommunication services provided to inmates be awarded to the lowest bidder and prohibits the state or any government entity from profiting from such services.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on
- SB 170 C FIELDS DNA
  Authorizes the application of any offender in custody for the DNA testing of certain evidence related to crime of which he was convicted. (7/1/03)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 171 B JONES LIABILITY
  Provides for the limitation of liability for damages from donated food for certain designated distributors and broadens the definition of a "food bank".

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 172 MARIONNEAUX ROADS/HIGHWAYS

  Designates the portion of LA 75 within the city of St. Gabriel as the "Martin Luther King , Jr. Parkway."

  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 173 BOISSIERE INDIGENT DEFENSE
  Provides for membership of the judicial district indigent
  defender board for the Criminal District Court for the parish
  of Orleans.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  JUDICIARY C.
- SB 174 HAINKEL ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

  Modifies emergency response standards for permits for a solid waste disposal facility. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.
- SB 175 SCHEDLER FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS
  Repeals authority for political subdivisions to invest in certain commercial paper of domestic corporations.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- SB 176 HOLLIS FUNDS/FUNDING

  Constitutional amendment to prohibit the "Budget Stabilization Fund" from being used more than once in any calendar of fiscal year, or from being used more than once in consecutive calendar or fiscal years. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

  Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.

SB 177 HEITMEIER BANKS/BANKING
Constitutional amendment to authorize public funds to be loaned, pledged, or donated by a state infrastructure bank to

fund eligible infrastructure projects.
 Read by title and referred to the committee on
 COMMERCE.

SB 178 DUPRE CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Increases the penalties for the crime of reckless operation of a vehicle.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 179 DUPRE MOTOR VEHICLES

Creates the offense of aggressive driving and provides for a responsive verdict of aggressive driving to reckless operation of a motor vehicle.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 180 C FIELDS CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Creates and provides for a board, establishes a fund, and provides for the administration and payment of pecuniary loss to persons wrongfully incarcerated.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 181 CAIN POSTSECONDARY ED

Constitutional amendment to provide for the Senate and the House of Representatives to each elect four members to the Board of Regents and each management board and for the governor to appoint the balance of the membership. (2/3-CA13s1(A)) (1/12/04) Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 182 C D JONES ATTORNEY GENERAL

Constitutional amendment to require the attorney general to investigate and prosecute homicidal deaths of certain state elected officials. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 183 BEAN LEGISLATORS

Constitutional amendment to provide for service credit to Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System for any legislator serving on January 1, 1997, who is a military retiree. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 184 MCPHERSON TAX/TAXATION

Constitutional amendment to remove the prohibition on levying a further tax or license in addition to the severance tax on oil, gas, or sulphur leases or rights.

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 185 HOLDEN TAX EXEMPTIONS

Constitutional amendment to require the renewal of all 10-year Industrial Exemption contracts not include taxes levied for puposes related to elementary and secondary education.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 186 JOHNSON TAX EXEMPTIONS

Constitutional amendment to provide for terms and conditions of 10-year industrial property tax exemption contracts. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 187 JOHNSON TAX EXEMPTIONS

Constitutional amendment to require a two-thirds vote to enact exemptions or exclusions from local sales and use taxes. (2/3-CA13s1A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 188 FONTENOT TAX/TAXATION

Constitutional amendment to increase the homestead exemption to \$10,000 of assessed valuation (\$100,000 of fair market value). (1/1/04) (2/3-CA13s1(A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 189 TEACHERS RETIREMENT BOISSIERE Provides with respect to alternative contribution plan waiting period for rollovers. (7/1/03) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. SB 190 BOISSIERE TEACHERS RETIREMENT Provides for monthly retirement benefits to be paid in advance and for retaining membership in Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana under certain circumstances. (7/1/03) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. SB 191 BOISSIERE TEACHERS RETIREMENT Provides with respect to the Initial Lump-Sum Benefit. (7/1/03) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. SB 192 BOISSIERE PAROCHIAL EMPLOYEES RET Provides for and creates an excess benefit plan for members of Parochial Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. SB 193 STATE EMPLOYEE RET Removes the responsibility for Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System to verify state assistance of handicapped survivors. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. SB 194 STATE EMPLOYEE RET Changes the cost-of-living adjustment payment from July 1st to January 1st of the year following a cost-of-living adjustment relative to LASERS. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. SB 195 BOISSIERE STATE EMPLOYEE RET Removes the sunset date of July 1, 2003, for partial repayments of refunds. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. STATE EMPLOYEE RET SB 196 BOISSIERE Provides for the payment of employee and employer contributions. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. 198 SB BOISSIERE STATE EMPLOYEE RET Provides that the chairman of the Senate Retirement Committee shall receive per diem for attendance at board meetings. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. SB 199 BOISSIERE CLERKS OF COURT RET Provides that the chairman of the Senate Retirement Committee serve as an ex-officio member of the board. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. TEACHERS RETIREMENT SB 200 BOISSIERE Provides with respect to eligibility for the alternative contribution plan. (7/01/03) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. TEACHERS RETIREMENT SB 201 BOISSIERE Provides with respect to rollover provisions. (7/1/03)Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. SB 202 BOISSIERE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS Provides with respect to the ownership of the retirement building property. (07/01/03) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. PAROCHIAL EMPLOYEES RET SB 203 BOISSIERE Provides that limitations on benefits payable to highly compensated employees shall comply with Internal Revenue Code

provisions. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 204 BOISSIERE WATER/SEWER OPERATORS
Requires the approval of sewerage and water boards in parishes with populations of over four hundred eighty thousand for the development of certain properties.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

- SB 205 BOISSIERE PRIVILEGES/LIENS
  Prohibits a mortgage lender from collecting a prepayment penalty for the payoff of a residental mortgage loan.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.
- SB 206 BOISSIERE INSURANCE RATES
  Prohibits use of credit information in issuing or renewing automobile policies or when determining premiums.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.
- SB 207 BOISSIERE CRIME/PUNISHMENT
  Increases the penalties for attempted crimes when the victim of the crime is a peace officer.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 208 MARIONNEAUX FARMING
  Provides for issuance of certain special permits to operators of vehicles. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 209 MARIONNEAUX CIVIL PROCEDURE

  Constitutional amendment to provide for the appellate jurisdiction of a court of appeal and to provide that appellate review extends only to questions of law. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 210 BARHAM PUBLIC LANDS
  Authorizes the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to sell or exchange title to certain property in Ouachita Parish. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 211 BOISSIERE LEGISLATIVE AGENCIES
  Provides for an executive committee of the Louisiana Advisory
  Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 212 DUPRE FUNDS/FUNDING

  Constitutional amendment to eliminates the cap on mineral revenues that can be part of the balance in the Wetlands

  Conservation and Restoration Fund. (7/1/04) (2/3-CA13s1(A))

  Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.
- SB 213 DARDENNE FUNDS/FUNDING
  Constitutional amendment to create the Louisiana Coastal
  Restoration Fund. (1/1/04) (2/3-CA13s1(A))
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  FINANCE.
- SB 214 DUPRE FUNDS/FUNDING
  Constitutional amendment authorizing certain uses for nonrecurring revenues, authorizing certain deposits into the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund, and eliminating the cap on mineral revenues that can be part of the balance in t Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.
- SB 215 BOISSIERE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS
  Repeals disability provisions related to the Louisiana State
  University Retirement System. (7/1/03)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  RETIREMENT.
- SB 216 DEAN LOCAL EMPLOYEES

  Constitutional amendment to place deputy sheriffs in the classified and unclassified civil service based upon population of the parish. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

## JUDICIARY C.

- SB 217 MARIONNEAUX JUDGES

  Constitutional amendment to provide that a judge shall not remain in office beyond his seventy-sixth birthday.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 218 MARIONNEAUX JUDGES

  Constitutional amendment to provide that the term of a parish and city court judge shall be six years and the term of a district court judge shall be ten years.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 219 MARIONNEAUX TAX EXEMPTIONS

  Constitutional amendment to limit industrial tax exemption contracts and contracts of exemption for structures in downtown, historic, or economic development districts to five years. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

  Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.
- SB 220 HAINKEL LEGISLATORS

  Constitutional amendment to repeal provisions which limit the number of consecutive terms a person may serve as a member of the Senate or the House of Representatives. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

  Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 221 HAINKEL JUDGES

  Constitutional amendment to provide for the selection and retention election of judges. (2/3-CA13s1(A)) (1/1/04)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 222 CRAVINS INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

  Constitutional amendment to make the commissioner of insurance an appointive office.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.
- SB 223 BARHAM TRANSPORTATION/DEV DEPT

  Constitutional amendment to provide for certain TIMED project descriptions. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 224 HAINKEL LIABILITY

  Constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to limit damages related to rights affected by coastal wetland conservation, management, preservation, enhancement, creation or restoration activities. (2/3-CA12s1(A))

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 225 THEUNISSEN SCHOOLS

  Constitutional amendment to authorize BESE to provide for the operation of failed schools, including receiving, controlling, and expending certain funds. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

  Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.
- SB 226 BOISSIERE STATE EMPLOYEE RET

  Provides for a money market rate of return of funds in Deferred Retirement Option Plan and to alter other provisions of the Plan to be compatible with the changes in the Plan. (1/1/04)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 227 HOLLIS GROUP BENEFITS PROGRAM
  Prohibits the state from assessing any health and accident insurance deficits to the plan members.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.
- SB 228 HOLLIS GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION
  Abolishes the state office of rural development and the office of urban affairs and development. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 229 HOLLIS INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

  Provides for continuing education credit for licensed insurance agents and brokers.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

		INSURANCE.	
SB	230	responsibilitie	PUBLIC LANDS reation, powers, duties, functions, and s of the White Lake Commission. (gov's sig) e and referred to the committee on URCES.
SB	231	THEUNISSEN FUNDS/FUNDING Provides school improvement as an optional secondary use fo money in the statutory school rewards fund. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.	
SB	232	HATNKEL	MAI,PRACTICE

Changes certain definitions for purposes of medical malpractice claims.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 233 HAINKEL TAX/AD VALOREM

Provides for privatized collection of deliquent "ad valorem taxes"

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB TAX/TAXATION 234 HAINKEL

Provides for privatized collection of delinquent "ad valorem taxes"

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 235 TEACHERS DUPRE

Increases the maximum duration a local school board is required to grant leave without pay to the president of large statewide professional organizations from two years to a three-year term or successive three-year terms.

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 237 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT

Repeals provisions which require certification by the Department of Health and Hospitals of review agents performing utilization. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 238 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT

Extends the Department of Health and Hospital's power to declare violations, levy fines, and the appeal process relative to these actions to all health care providers licensed or certified by the Department of Health and Hospitals.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SECONDARY EDUCATION SB 239 THEUNISSEN

Establishes the Jobs for Louisiana's Graduates Board of Advisors. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 240 BARHAM TAX/SALES

Exempts propane from the state sales and use tax. (7/1/03)Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

MARIONNEAUX STATE EMPLOYEE RET SB 2.41

Provides cost-of-living adjustment for members of Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System who retire prior to age fifty-five. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB MARTONNEAUX 2.42 FISH/FISHING

Extends the sunset provision for changing the mesh size of commercial crawfish traps from 2003 to 2005.

Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

243 SB MOUNT FISH/FISHING

> Requires any person acting as a charter boat fishing guide in any waters of the state who is in charge of the operation of a vessel to possess a valid charter boat fishing guide license.
>
> Read by title and referred to the committee on
>
> NATURAL RESOURCES.

244 LENTINI CRIMINAL PROCEDURE SB

Prohibits the execution of the death penalty for a person who is determined to be mentally retarded.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 245 HAINKEL INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

> Limits the authority of the Louisiana Insurance Rating Commission. (1/1/04)

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 246 M SMITH PUBLIC LANDS

Authorizes the exchange of certain land in Sabine parish owned

by Blue Lake Village, Inc. (gov sig)
Read by title and referred to the committee on
NATURAL RESOURCES.

247 SB BOISSIERE COURTS

Creates a family court for Orleans Parish.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

248 SB MICHOT FAMILY LAW

> Provides that a court may order the parties to mediate their differences in a child support proceeding.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

JUDICIARY A.

SB 249 CRAVINS LAW ENFORCEMENT

Removes requirement that a person arrested by a college or university police officer shall be immediately transferred to the custody of the local sheriff or city police.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

250 SB HOYT UTILITIES

> Exempts persons engaged in house moving activites from the Overhead Power Line Safety Act.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 251 T-ENTINI TRUSTS Provides for matters that are relative to the Louisiana Trust

Code, the beneficiaries of a trust, the powers of a trustee, and the principal and income of a trust.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 252 SPECIAL DISTRICTS

Provides for the membership of the board of commissioners for

the Terrebonne Parish Fire District Number 5. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 253 DARDENNE COURTS

> Provides that any new court cost or fee or increase in an existing court cost or fee first be submitted to the Judicial Council for review and recommendation to the legislature. (gov

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 254 DARDENNE CIVIL PROCEDURE

Expands the venue of city courts.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 255 DARDENNE CIVIL PROCEDURE

> Provides for the revival of money judgments by ex parte motion. Read by title and referred to the committee on

JUDICIARY A.

DARDENNE SB 256 ETHICS

Requires the Board of Ethics to provide access via the Internet

to certain information. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on

SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

257 SB DARDENNE MALPRACTICE

> Includes extracorporeal therapist as a "health care provider" and defines "extracorporeal therapist" for purposes of the

Medical Malpractice Act.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

HEALTH & WELFARE.

258 SB DARDENNE COURTS Provides for enhanced accounting schedules for court costs and fees. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 259 EDUCATION ACCOUNTABILITY C FIELDS

Beginning with the 2005-2006 school year, replaces the state criterion-referenced testing program with locally adopted assessments approved by BESE.

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

260 ELLINGTON SB SPECIAL DISTRICTS

Provides for revisions to the LaSalle Economic Development District.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 261 ROADS/HIGHWAYS HOYT

Provides that local and parish roads in Vermilion Parish, without exception, shall become public if cerain maintenance work is performed on them.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 262

MOUNT MUNICIPALITIES
Authorizes the city of Westlake to transfer certain property. Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 263 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT

Re-creates the Department of Health and Hospitals. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 264 LENTINI INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

Provides for the appointment of the commissioner of insurance by the governor, subject to Senate confirmation. Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 265 HOYT TRAFFIC

Removes prohibitions of certain agencies contracting with collection agencies and credit information agencies for services relative to unpaid parking fines.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 266 PILOTS

> Provides for various changes relative to laws governing river pilots.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

LAND USE SB 267 HATNKEL

Limits compensation for property affected by coastal restoration. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 268 HAINKEL LIABILITY

Limits the liability of the state for coastal wetlands activities. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 269 WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Requires copies of medical information received which concern employee also be provided to employee by recipient of information.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 270 WORKERS' COMPENSATION C FIELDS

Requires copies of correspondence to physician by an employer be copied to employee.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

WORKERS' COMPENSATION C FIELDS SB 271

Provides for interruption of prescription for payment of medical benefits.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

272 WORKERS' COMPENSATION SB C FIELDS

Provides that employee failure to answer previous injury inquiries results in forfeiture of employee benefits if the failure directly relates to medical conditions and affects the employer's ability to be reimbursed from second injury board.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

- SB 273 C FIELDS WORKERS' COMPENSATION
  Allows certain penalties for wrongful discontinuance of workers' compensation payments.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.
- SB 274 C FIELDS WORKERS' COMPENSATION

  Provides that employee's failure to answer inquiries of previous injury claims may result in forfeiture of benefits.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.
- SB 275 C FIELDS WORKERS' COMPENSATION
  Provides for forfeiture of workers' compensation benefits if an employee provides false information.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.
- SB 276 ELLINGTON CIVIL PROCEDURE
  Provides for limitations on jury trials.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 277 ELLINGTON LIABILITY
  Provides a limitation of liability to certain persons providing gratuitous emergency care at hospitals.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 278 DUPRE PLANNING/ZONING
  Provides relative to parish and municipal planning commissions.
  (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- SB 279 DARDENNE TAX/TAXATION

  Requires approvals for the use of state sales tax increments for financing local government subdivisions. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.
- SB 280 BEAN PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS
  Increases from 40 to 99 years the maximum term of certain contracts, leases, and other agreements which may be entered into by the Caddo-Bossier Parishes Port Commission.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 281 BOISSIERE STATE POLICE RET FUND
  Provides with respect to a retirement benefit longevity
  increase for certain members who participated in the Deferred
  Retirement Option Plan on or before June 30, 2003. (07/01/03)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  RETIREMENT.
- SB 282 BOISSIERE STATE POLICE RET FUND
  Provides a minimum benefit for retirees, or their survivors,
  with twenty years or more of creditable service, and who have
  been retired at least five years as of June 30, 2003, relative
  to the Louisiana State Police Pension and Retirement S
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  RETIREMENT.
- SB 283 BOISSIERE STATE POLICE RET FUND
  Authorizes an increase in disability benefits for certain catastrophic injuries sustained in the performance of official duties, relative to Louisiana State Police Pension and Retirement System. (7/1/03)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 284 DUPRE JUDGES

  Adds three additional judges to the First Circuit Court of Appeal. (gov sig) (2/3-CA5s9)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 285 LENTINI ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
  Authorizes retail distribution center permits for commercial

airlines and prohibits local permits or fees. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

STATE POLICE RET FUND SB 286 BOISSIERE Authorizes the board of trustees to pay a one-time cost-of-living adjustment of three percent of the retirement benefit being received at the time of adjustment, relative to Louisiana State Police Pension and Retirement System. (7/1/03) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 2.87 SAFETY REGULATIONS Requires child passenger restraint systems, according to age and weight, for children being transported in motor vehicles. (1/1/04)

> Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 288 FAMILY LAW **IRONS** 

Provides that child support payments may be suspended when the child has been abused.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 289

C FIELDS WORKERS' COMPENSATION
Provides for benefits in excess of amounts paid following a compromise with third persons.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 290 FAMILY LAW

Provides for shared and joint custodial arrangements. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 291 LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS M SMITH Declares the Winnfield-based "Uncle Earl's Hog Dog Trials" as the official state "Uncle Earl's Hog Dog Trials". (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

292 SB MOUNT CRIMINAL PROCEDURE

> Authorizes a court to require a defendant to appear in open court for good cause shown.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 294 DARDENNE DENTISTRY

Revises the practice of dentistry.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 295 DARDENNE DNA

Repeals the limitation of prosecution relative to sex offenses under certain conditions when DNA evidence identifies the offender. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 296 DARDENNE DENTISTRY

Revises the dental practice act relative to judicial review of adjudication.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

297 SB DARDENNE DENTISTRY

Revises the practice of dentistry to provide relative to the unlicensed practice of dentistry and dental hygiene.
Read by title and referred to the committee on

HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 298 GENETICS HINES

Extends the ban on human cloning until July 1, 2006. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE SB 299 THOMAS Provides for small group and individual health insurance rating requirements.

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

300 LOCAL OFFICIALS SB CHAISSON

Provides for the appointment of public administrators for successions in certain parishes.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

301 SB BAJOIE SOCIAL SERVICES DEPT

Authorizes DSS to release non-identifying medical or genetic information to former minor foster children or their representatives.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

302 HEALTH SERVICES SB

Enacts the Long-Term Care Transition and Protection Act. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 303 CHILDREN

Provides for the creation of multidisciplinary investigative teams for the investigation and disposition of cases of child abuse and neglect in each judicial district of the state and for the creation of child advocacy centers.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 304

DARDENNE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE Provides relative to the domestic violence.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 305 SCHEDLER MEDICAID

Requires DHH to create an optional Medicaid program for disabled to buy-in to Medicaid coverage so they can return to work and maintain eligibility.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

HEALTH SERVICES SB 306 SCHEDLER

Revises provisions for disciplinary proceedings involving emergency medical personnel.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 307 SCHEDLER HEALTH SERVICES

Provides that statutory provisions regarding payment of charges to hospitals are applicable to emergency medical services or ambulance service providers.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

308 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT SB

Provides for reorganization of service networks for mental health, developmental disabilities and addictive disorders and to provide for the evolution of local and integrated service district networks into local human services districts.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SCHEDLER SB 309 VITAL STATISTICS

Revises period of time within which to provide missing information on a birth certificate.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 310 HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT SCHEDLER

Provides with respect to hearing panels for disciplinary panels before the La. Board of Medical Examiners. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 311 SCHEDLER NURSING HOMES

> Provides relative to licensure of nursing facility administrators.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 312 BOISSIERE STATE POLICE RET FUND

Provides retroactive eligibility for survivor benefits in limited circumstances where surviving spouse was married to decedent for less than two years prior to death. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on

RETIREMENT.

SB 313 M SMITH TUITION

Authorizes the postsecondary management boards to establish tuition and attendance fees applicable to residents not to

exceed the SREB average for similar institutions. (gov sig) (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

- SB 314 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT
  Changes the number of months in the initial term of the Department of Health and Hospitals contracts for fiscal intermediary services from sixty months to thirty-six.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on
- SB 315 SCHEDLER FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS
  Creates the Perfusion Licensure Act to provide for the licensing of medical technicians to practice perfusion. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 316 SCHEDLER FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS
Provides relative to regulating the practice of
anesthesiologist assistants. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))
Read by title and referred to the committee on
HEALTH & WELFARE.

HEALTH & WELFARE.

- SB 317 ELLINGTON FAMILY LAW
  Repeals the crime of giving false statements concerning paternity.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 318 ELLINGTON FAMILY LAW

  Provides for certain parties to be notified prior to an adoption records hearing.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 319 M SMITH DIVORCE

  Provides relative to divorce and certain effects thereof.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  JUDICIARY A.
- SB 320 CHAISSON DWI
  Changes certain circumstances regarding DWI from being elements of the crime to affirmative defense if the circumstances is lacking. (09-30-03)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 321 LENTINI LAW ENFORCEMENT

  Provides that a chief of police who is "grandfathered" into P.O.S.T. shall not be required to reactivate P.O.S.T. certification.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 322 LENTINI MALPRACTICE

  Provides relative to expert opinions rendered by a medical review panel.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 323 LENTINI ROADS/HIGHWAYS
  Requires construction involving lane closures on controlled access highways to be performed between the hours of 8 p.m. and 6 a.m.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 324 MOUNT FAMILY LAW

  Provides for the continuation of child support for educational purposes in certain cases.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 325 BAJOIE SOCIAL SERVICES DEPT
  Requires the Department of Social Services to provide minimal programs for the elderly.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 326 BAJOIE SOCIAL SERVICES DEPT
  Authorizes the payment of a stipend to child care workers who receive certification from a child care educational training program which is approved by the bureau of licensing within the Department of Social Services.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 327 BAJOIE HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT

Creates the office of women's health within Department of Health and Hospitals.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 328 BAJOIE TAX/SALES

Provides for the disposition of the avails of one cent of the state sales and use tax on hotels in parishes of more than four hundred seventy-five thousand. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 329 HAINKEL STATE EMPLOYEE RET

Authorizes a member who was employed by justice department to convert certain unused accrued leave to service credit. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 330 BOISSIERE SHERIFFS PEN/RELIEF FUND

Provides for purchase of Vietnam Conflict military service credit, relative to the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 331 BAJOIE SECONDHAND DEALERS

Provides for regulation of "used building component" under the state secondhand dealers and antique dealers law, and requires the reporting of transactions involving "used building components." (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 332 CRAVINS INTERGOVERN RELATIONS

Adopts a revised Interstate Compact for Juveniles. (7/1/04) Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 333 BARHAM CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Expands crime of making false statements relative to forest products during a transaction to include false statements regarding ownership interest, tract name, or property description.

Read by title and referred to the committee on AGRICULTURE.

SB 334 BARHAM FISH/FISHING

Provides relative to the taking of certain fish. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 335 BARHAM CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Specifically includes logs and timber, whether standing or cut, as forest products in the crime of failure to remit payment to the owner of forest products.

Read by title and referred to the committee on AGRICULTURE.

SB 336 C FIELDS WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Prohibits suspension of surgical procedures during pendency of appeal.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 337 DUPRE MOTOR VEHICLES

Increases time required for possession of a learner's permit prior to obtaining an intermediate license from 90 to 180 days and increases minimum age with respect to certain driver education requirement.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 338 CRAVINS MUNICIPALITIES

Abolishes the legislative charter of the town of Grand Coteau and provides that the town shall be subject to the Lawrason Act. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 339 IRONS MOTOR VEHICLES

Creates the Invest in Children special prestige license plate.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

- SB 340 IRONS TAX/TAXATION
  Provides relative to political subdivisions who enter into sales and use tax collection agreements.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.
- SB 341 IRONS VITAL STATISTICS

  Provides relative to improvements of telephone and computer systems in the Louisiana Office of Vital Records.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 342 BOISSIERE SHERIFFS PEN/RELIEF FUND
  Provides for a one-time cost-of-living adjustment relative to the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 343 MCPHERSON MILITARY AFFAIRS
  Creates the Military Funeral Honors Program.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 344 SCHEDLER TAX/INCOME/PERSONAL
  Creates an individual income tax credit of up to \$200 for parents or legal guardians of recipients of home and community based services for funds expended for the personal and/or medical needs of the recipient. (1/1/04)
  Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 345 SCHEDLER CRIMINAL RECORDS

  Requires all criminal history processing for non-criminal purposes to be conducted by the office of state police.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- SB 346 DARDENNE DNA
  Provides relative to the taking or drawing of DNA samples from arrested or convicted felons.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 347 BOISSIERE EMBALMERS/FUNERAL DIRECT
  Provides for the regulation of crematories and cremation.
  (2/3-CA7s2.1(A)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.
- SB 348 HOLDEN SCHOOLS

  Provides for reimbursement to local school boards for the costs of transporting students to nonpublic schools approved by BESE.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.
- SB 349 HOLDEN FUNDS/FUNDING

  Exempts the Louisiana Community and Technical College System from the requirement of depositing all funds into the state treasury.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.
- SB 350 HOLDEN STATE EMPLOYEE RET

  Provides that a judge or court officer with twenty or more years of service, under disability retirement, would become eligible for an additional one percent retirement benefit. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 351 HOLDEN PARISHES
  Authorizes the St. Helena Parish Police Jury to operate, regulate, or subsidize ambulance services.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- SB 352 DARDENNE COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS
  Provides for the time and manner of the distribution of a member's share of a limited liability company following his death, incompetence, dissolution, or termination.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 353 MCPHERSON IDENTITY DATA
  Provides for the Office of Motor Vehicles to issue a temporary

driver's permit under certain conditions. Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 354 MCPHERSON LIABILITY

Provides for limits the liability of an equine activity sponsor, an equine professional, or other person for injuries or death resulting from equine activities. Read by title and referred to the committee on

JUDICIARY A.

SB 355 LENTINI AMUSEMENTS/SPORTS

Provides that inspections of amusement rides and attractions be performed by an inspector who is not the operator of the amusement ride or attraction to be inspected.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 356 MCPHERSON COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES

Requires that the receipt of revenue by a private, nonprofit corporation from the resale or control of tickets to athletic events at colleges and universities shall be subject to public review.

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 357 MENTAL HEALTH MCPHERSON

Dedicates the proceeds from the sale of facilities owned by the office of mental health to the renovation of mental health clinics in the same parish as the facility that has been sold. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

358 SB MCPHERSON HOSPITALS

> Grants a specific exemption of ICF/MR bed moratorium to allow a fifty-bed addition at certain facilities with not less than one hundred fify beds and not more than one hundred seventy-five beds.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 359 THEUNISSEN PROCUREMENT CODE

Exempts the Louisiana Community and Technical College System from the requirement to conduct procurement through the central purchasing agency.

Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.

SB 360 THEUNISSEN CURRICULA

Establishes the La. Center for Agricultural Science and Education. (gov sig)
Read by title and referred to the committee on

EDUCATION.

THEUNISSEN SB 361 TOPS

Provides for the reduction of TOPS awards in the event the legislature appropriates insufficient funds. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 362 THEUNISSEN STUDENTS

Requires submission to the Board of Regents of institutional policies that provide for notifying students and parents of their rights to inspect education records pursuant to the federal Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 363 SPECIAL DISTRICTS THEUNISSEN

Provides for the creation of a public cemetery district in the Sweet Lake - Grand Lake Community of Cameron Parish.
Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 364 THEUNISSEN TOPS

Revises the required duration of residency from 24 months prior to graduation to the last two acedemic years prior to graduation and revises the citizenship requirements. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 365 THEUNISSEN TUITION

Provides for the development and maintenance of a comprehensive state student aid plan that supports the Master Plan for Public Postsecondary Education. (gov sig)
Read by title and referred to the committee on

## EDUCATION.

- SB 366 SCHEDLER ROADS/HIGHWAYS
  Provides that retired or disabled firemen and policemen shall
  have free passage over the Lake Pontchartrain Causeway Bridge.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 367 SCHEDLER PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECT DEPT
  Requires the office of motor vehicles to collect certain statistical information. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 368 SCHEDLER HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE

  Defines clean claim as a bill for health care services that can be processed without additional information from the service provider or a third party. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.
- SB 369 SCHEDLER HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE

  Provides for a credentialing process for health insurance issuers who contract directly with health care providers.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.
- SB 370 SCHEDLER HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE
  Provides for a schedule of payments or reimbursements in contracts between health insurance issuers and health care providers. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.
- SB 371 SCHEDLER OCCUPATIONAL THERAPISTS

  Provides for direct acess to occupational therapists. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 372 SCHEDLER PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECT DEPT
  Authorizes a fee for fingerprinting conducted by the Louisiana
  Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information related to
  non-criminal purposes. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  JUDICIARY B.
- SB 373 SCHEDLER PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECT DEPT
  Authorizes the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and
  Information to charge a processing fee for court ordered
  expungement. (2/3-CA7s1.2(A))
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  JUDICIARY B.
- SB 374 SCHEDLER INSURANCE CLAIMS

  Provides relative to a medical necessity review organization's medical necessity determination program. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.
- SB 375 SCHEDLER SEX OFFENSES
  Requires any person required to register as a sex offender to notify the Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information of any institution of postsecondary education at which he is a student or is employed.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- SB 376 SCHEDLER SEX OFFENSES

  Corrects Sex Offender and Child Predator Registry verification of address penalities.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- SB 377 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT
  Increases fees for the review of facility plans by the DHH engineering division.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 378 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT

  Provides for mandatory accreditation by either Joint Commission on the Accreditation of Health Care Organizations or council on the Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 379 SCHEDLER CIVIL PROCEDURE Deletes the provisions allowing direct actions against an insurer. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A. SB 380 SCHEDLER MEDICAID Prevides that Medical Transportation Certificates are not required for payment for service by Medicaid. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. SB 381 SCHEDLER FUNDS/FUNDING Removes the authority of the Department of Environmental Quality to administer the Drinking Water Revolving Loan Fund Program and authorizes the Department of Health and Hospitals to administer the fund. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY. SB 382 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT Requires DHH to seek a HIFA waiver from DHHS to extend health care coverage to certain low-income uninsured. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. CRIME/PUNISHMENT 383 SB SCHEDLER Requires that clergy be considered mandatory reporters of information regarding child abuse, with a narrow exception of information obtained during confession/reconciliation. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A. 384 SCHEDLER SB DNA Provides relative to the taking or drawing of DNA samples from arrested or convicted felons. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C. SCHEDLER VITAL STATISTICS
Changes the fee to be charged for death certificates and SB 385 repeals the fee for burial permits. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. VITAL STATISTICS SB 386 SCHEDLER Adds venues for a person seeking to file petition for name change. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. SB 387 SCHEDLER CHILDREN Authorizes interception of federal tax refunds for child support obligations by support enforcement services of the Department of Social Services. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. SB 388 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT Prevents the Department of Health and Hospitals from limiting the availability of atypical antipsychotic drugs to Medicaid recipients. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. SB 389 SCHEDLER PSYCHOLOGISTS Repeals provisions regarding limitation of liability for members of Louisiana State Board of Psychologists and other persons. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A. SCHEDLER MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEE RET SB 390 Provides relative to membership of elected officials with a term limitation of less than ten years. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. SCHEDLER INSURANCE RATES
Prohibits certain uses of credit information in establishing SB 391 rates for personal insurance. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on

SB 392 FONTENOT TAX/INCOME/CORPORATE

Phases in a reduction and then repeal of the corporation income

INSURANCE.

tax by January 1, 2006.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 393 FONTENOT TAX/FRANCHISE/CORPORATE Reduces the corporate franchise tax by 33% for tax year 2004, 66% for tax year 2005, and repeals the tax for tax year 2006 and thereafter. (7/1/03)

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 394 FONTENOT COURTS Provides for drug testing performed by certified laboratories in custody or visitation proceedings.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

JUDICIARY A.

CIVIL SERVICE SB 395 FONTENOT

> Provides relative to promotions within the classified service. (2/3-CA10s18)

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 396 FONTENOT HEALTH CARE

Creates regional human services districts to operate and manage community-based programs and services related to public health, mental health, developmental disabilities and substance abuse. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

397 SB FONTENOT FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS

Authorizes Livingston Parish to collect a mosquito abatement service charge on their local utility bill.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

398 SB FONTENOT EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Provides for the coordination of a health education curriculum by a physical education coordinator at the Dept. of Education. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

399 SB FONTENOT STATE EMPLOYEE RET

> Provides for eligibility for cost-of-living increases. (gov siq)

Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 400 FONTENOT PLUMBERS

Provides a licensed journeyman plumber to supervise apprentices

on the job. Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 401 MOTOR VEHICLES FONTENOT

Defines "total loss" to include declarations by an insurer that a vehicle is a total loss for purposes of salvage titles.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 402 FONTENOT ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Requires the department to develop new criteria for compliance inspections.

Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.

SB 403 PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS FONTENOT

Authorizes contracts with a private entity to paint the flag of the United States and "God Bless America" on the roof of the Louisiana Superdome. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 404 CAIN **APPROPRIATIONS** 

Provides for Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget to prepare the annual budget. (7/1/04)

Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.

SB 405 CHAISSON DWI

Increaes penalties for third and fourth offense of operating a vehicle while intoxicated, changes the mandated suspension of sentence for such offense to an option of the court, and authorizes the court to impose immediate sanctions on offe Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 406 CHAISSON CRIME/PUNISHMENT
Changes certain circumstances regarding vehicular homicide,
vehicular negligent injuring, and first degree vehicular injury
from being elements of the crime to affirmative defenses if the
circumstance is lacking. (9/30/03)
Read by title and referred to the committee on
JUDICIARY C.

SB 407 LENTINI AMUSEMENTS/SPORTS
Provides for inspection of air-supported structures.
Read by title and referred to the committee on
COMMERCE.

SB 408 GAUTREAUX INSURANCE MANDATES

Provides for health insurance coverage for hearing aids for minor children

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 409 ADLEY LOCAL FINANCE

Provides for the powers of the Louisiana Local Government
Environment Facilities and Community Development Authority.

(gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on
LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 410 LENTINI CIVIL PROCEDURE
Provides Civil Code Articles for Deposit, Deposit with
Innkeepers, Conventional Sequestration, and Judicial
Sequestration. (1/1/04)
Read by title and referred to the committee on
JUDICIARY A.

SB 411 M SMITH CIVIL SERVICE

Provides relative to firefighter and police civil service personnel for municipalities below the population of two hundred fifty thousand. (2/3-CA10s18)

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 412 M SMITH LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR
Provides for exclusion of rural development monies in computing revenues necessary to require an audit.
Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 413 M SMITH LOCAL OFFICIALS
Provides for the appointment of the chief of police in villages with a population below three hundred fifty.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 414 M SMITH COURTS

Authorizes certain villages to appoint a court magistrate.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

JUDICIARY A.

SB 415 M SMITH AGRICULTURE/FOREST DEPT
Changes statutory references to reflect the name change to the Senate and House Committees on Agriculture, Forestry,
Aquaculture and Rural Development. (gov sig)
Read by title and referred to the committee on AGRICULTURE.

SB 416 M SMITH FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS
Provides for the licensing of independent insurance adjusters.
(2/3-CA7s2.1(A))
Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 417 SCHEDLER FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS
Sets maximum fees that the Louisiana State Board of Medical
Examiners may establish, by rule, for any license, certificate,
permit or registration issued, renewed or reinstated. (gov sig)
(2/3-CA7s2.1(A))
Read by title and referred to the committee on
HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 418 MCPHERSON LAW ENFORCEMENT
Provides for reimbursement of peace officer training by the subsequent hiring governmental entities. (gov sig)
Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 419 MCPHERSON CONTRACTS

Prohibits the automatic renewal of a contract. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

- SB 420 MCPHERSON **INSURERS** 
  - Provides for Patient's Bill of Rights.

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 421 MCPHERSON CONTRACTORS

> Clarifies that property owners are exempt from obtaining a contractor's license from the Louisiana State Licensing Board for Contractors for certain construction or improvements to their property.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 422 **MCPHERSON** PUBLIC WORKS

Prohibits a local entity from utilizing the "design-build" concept when awarding public works contracts. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 423 MCPHERSON CIVIL PROCEDURE

> Authorizes federal court judges to perform marriage ceremonies within the state. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

VIDEO POKER SB 424 CHAISSON

Provides for the scheduling of video poker games with no minimum wager.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 425 BOISSIERE STATE EMPLOYEE RET

Provides for self-directed investment funds in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan. (1/1/04)

Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 426 BOISSIERE PAROCHIAL EMPLOYEES RET

Provides for the calculation of benefits for members of the Parochial Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 427 BOISSIERE TEACHERS RETIREMENT

Provides with respect to election procedures. Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

TEACHERS RETIREMENT SB 428 BOISSIERE

Provides with respect to contribution limits. (7/1/03)Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

CHILDREN'S CODE SB 429 LENTINI

Requires clergy to report knowlege of child abuse except when information is received in a confidential communication with the perpetrator.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

430 SB

SCHEDLER HEALTH CARE
Requires disclosure of financial interest by certain health care providers.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 431 BAJOIE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

> Provides relative to the acquisition of blighted property. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 432 BAJOIE TAX EXEMPTIONS

Grants an exclusion from state and local sales tax for non-profit organizations which donate toys to children. (7/1/03)Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 433 ENERGY PRODUCTION

Provides incentive to oil drillers to use Louisiana companies, Louisiana products, and Louisiana citizens in their operations. Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 434 MOUNT SHERIFFS PEN/RELIEF FUND

Provides for a one-time cost-of-living adjustment relative to the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund.

Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 435 HOYT TAX/TAXATION
Allows a taxpayer to take the credit of up to \$1,000 against income or corporation franchise taxes for qualified donations made to qualified playgrounds for certain tax years between 1992 and 2001 if taken on an amended return filed by Dece Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 436 HOYT SAFETY REGULATIONS
Provides for suspension of operating authority under all special oversize load permits for violating their terms or for falsifying information on permit application.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 437 CAIN HORSE RACING
Changes the membership of the Louisiana State Racing Commission to delete the two at-large members and to include one person from each municipality in which a race track is located.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 438 CAIN PUBLIC CONTRACTS

Provides for a 5% preference to Louisiana companies when bidding on oil wells that are plugged and abandoned at the request of the state.

Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 439 MOUNT DWI
Requires impoundment of an offender's motor vehicle after an arrest for operating a vehicle while intoxicated.
Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 440 MOUNT LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
Changes certain aspects of the SERVE Commission.
Read by title and referred to the committee on
SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 441 MOUNT SCHOOLS
Prohibits conduct of school related activities on property where gaming is occurring.
Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 442 MOUNT NURSES

Provides relative to mandatory overtime limitations for registered nurses.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 443 CAIN CAPITAL OUTLAY
Provides for the Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay to prepare the capital outlay budget. (7/1/04)
Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 444 BAJOIE NURSES
Provides relative to advanced practice registered nurses. (gov sig)
Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 445 CRAVINS INSURERS
Provides for the authorization and recognition of producers of record.

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 446 CRAVINS INSURANCE CLAIMS

Defines an MNRO working day, provides for medical determination procedures, and provides for grounds for suspension or revocation of licensure or certificate of authority.

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 447 CRAVINS ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL

Provides that a local governing authority obtain an annual permit from the department before disposing of solid waste

off-site.

Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.

SB 448 VIDEO POKER

> Provides that device owners shall not be required to maintain minimum balance or security under certain conditions. Read by title and referred to the committee on

JUDICIARY B.

449 CAMPAIGN FINANCE SB CRAVINS

Requires the Board of Ethics to notify a candidate of the existence of a delinquent campaign finance report prior to assessing a penalty for late filing.

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 450 STATE EMPLOYEE RET

Provides for retirement of judges and court officers with ten years of creditable service after attaining age sixty. (gov siq)

Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 451 STATE EMPLOYEE RET

Allows judges to purchase judicial credit for service in the military, state national guard, coast guard, or reserve forces. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 452 CRAVINS MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEE RET

> Provides for the reciprocal recognition of service credit. (gov siq)

Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 453 CRAVINS HOSPITALS

> Removes the University Medical Center of Lafayette from the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center-Health Care Services Division. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 454 HAINKEL CIVIL PROCEDURE

Provides relative to alternative dispute resolution by a court on its own motion.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

JUDGES 455 SB HAINKEL

Provides for the nomination and appointment of judges and for retention elections.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 456 DUPRE FUNDS/FUNDING

Dedicates a portion of certain income tax receipts in lieu of truck and trailer registration and licensing fees for repair and maintenance of roads in the state highway system which are not eligible for federal assistance. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

457 SB

DUPRE CIVIL PROCEDURE
Authorizes justice of the peace court to have jurisdiction over the removal, disposition or abandonment of certain objects.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 458 PRIVILEGES/LIENS

Requires the mortgagee to cancel mortgage inscription. Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 459 CAIN TOPS

Provides for the eligibility of the dependent child of a military member who is not and does not become a state resident, but who resides in the state under permanent change of station orders. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 460 BOISSIERE MOTOR VEHICLES

Requires a person age 18 or younger who is applying for a driver's license or instruction permit to present documentation that he is attending school.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 461 BOISSIERE VIDEO POKER

Provides for video poker promotions.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 463 MCPHERSON PUBLIC LANDS

Authorizes transfer of Fort Randolph and Fort Buhlow properties in Rapides Parish from the Department of Health and Hospitals to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism.

Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 464 THOMAS HEALTH CARE

Limits the prescribing of oxyacanthine to terminal illnesses. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 465 HOLDEN EDUCATION ACCOUNTABILITY

Requires that approval standards for private schools include certain requirements to determine whether a school maintains a sustained curriculum at least equal to similar public schools. Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 466 HOLLIS FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Repeals certain investment restrictions. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 467 BARHAM FORESTRY

Provides relative to the removal or diversion of standing or cut trees or timber or the sale thereof. (gov sig)
Read by title and referred to the committee on
AGRICULTURE.

SB 468 BEAN INSURANCE POLICIES

Requires notification to the insured as to the name, address, and contact telephone number of insurers receiving policies through merger, acquisition, transfer or assumption.

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 469 BEAN INSURANCE POLICIES

Requires an insurer, upon request, to provide certain information to the insured and department concerning the insured's funeral service provider.

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 470 HOYT FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS

Provides for fines and suspension of operating authority under all special oversize load permits for violating their terms or for falsifying information on permits application. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 471 HOYT TUITION

Provides for administration of and participation in the START program. (gov sig)

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 472 HOYT PILOTS

Makes various changes relative to laws governing river pilots Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 473 HINES SUCCESSIONS

Provides for inheritance rights of children born after death of the parent.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 474 THOMAS INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Insurance does not include certain trust funds established to pay professional malpractice or public liability claims against members of societies of a statewide hospital association.

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 475 THOMAS SPECIAL DISTRICTS
Creates the Washington Parish Reservoir District. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 476 BAJOIE CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Creates the crime of theft of a used building component. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 477 CHAISSON VIDEO POKER

Provides relative to video draw poker devices.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 478 CHAISSON ETHICS

Permits employment of certain health professionals by hospital service districts with a population of 100,000 or less and hospital public trust authorities in such districts. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 479 CHAISSON ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Defines passengers in the "open container" prohibition and provides exclusions for certain operators, passengers, and areas of the motor vehicle.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 480 CHAISSON SEX OFFENSES

Limits certain exemption from registration by a sex offender to a gubernatorial pardon.

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Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 481 CHAISSON VIDEO POKER

Provides for a change in the currency accepted in video draw

poker devices.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 482 CHAISSON VIDEO POKER

Provides for use of thermal printers in video gaming devices and other alternate means of capturing duplicate information of a ticket voucher.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 483 SCHEDLER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Authorizes the Louisiana Retirement Development Commission to purchase, print, and distribute advertisements and promotional items.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 484 HOLLIS FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Repeals the qualifying share requirement for directors. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 485 HOLLIS FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Revises provisions relative to the operation and closure of branch offices. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 486 HOLLIS FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Revises provisions relative to officers of certain financial institutions. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 487 HOLLIS FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Allows after-the-fact approval of amendments to articles of incorporation. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 488 HOLLIS FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Revises provisions relative to amendment and restatement of articles of incorporation of associations and savings banks by authorizing them to use the same procedure as state banks. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

- SB 489 FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS HOLLIS Revises certain dividend and capital surplus requirements of financial institutions. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. SB 490 HOLLIS FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS Authorizes state banks to organize and operate as limited liability companies. Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS SB 491 HOLLIS Revises provisions relative to credit unions. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. SB 492 FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS HOLLIS Makes exceptions to certain amendments to bylaw requirements. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. SB 493 HOLLIS FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS Increases the limit on the aggregate amount of loans which a savings and loan can make for commercial or agricultural purposes (other than nonresidential real estate) from 10% to 20% of the assets of the association. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. SB 494 FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS Provides for dividends and bank stock transactions. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. SB 495 FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS HOLLIS Provides with respect to certain reporting requirements of financial institutions. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. 496 SB HOLLIS FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS Revises provisions relative to share exchanges. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. 497 SB HOLLIS GOVERNMENTAL REGULATIONS Provides for the building code for state-owned buildings and for the La. State Uniform Construction Code. (1/1/04) Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE SB 498 FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS HOLLIS Creates the Louisiana Trust Companies Law. (gov sig) (2/3-CA7s2.1(A)Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. SB 499 SCHEDLER **ETHICS** Provides for "thing of economic value" when solicited, accepted, or received by a public servant from a person that conducts operations or activities regulated by the public servant's agency.(07/01/03) Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. SB 500 HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT SCHEDLER Extends moratoria on mental health clinics and centers, long-term care hospital facilities, nursing facilities, and home health agencies through July 1, 2007. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. SB 501 DARDENNE VOTERS/VOTING Provides for a closed party primary election system for congressional offices with candidates and voters participating in a first and second primary according to party affiliation. (1/1/04)
- SB 502 DARDENNE CRIME/PUNISHMENT
  Revises the circumstances regarding the victim's incapacity as an element of the crime of simple rape.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on

SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

		JUDICIARY C.
SB	503	DARDENNE TELEPHONES Prohibits telephone solicitations that begin with a recorded message. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A)) Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.
SB	504	DARDENNE FUNDS/FUNDING Creates the Louisiana Coastal Restoration Fund. (1/1/04) Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.
SB	505	DARDENNE SUNSET LAW  Re-creates the Department of the Treasury and its agencies. (6/30/03)  Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.
SB	506	FONTENOT COMMERCE/TRADE Repeals the Unfair Sales Law. Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.
SB	507	C D JONES GAMING Authorizes the town of Richwood, in Ouachita Parish, to call an election to allow the operation of video draw poker devices.  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
SB	508	C D JONES CRIMINAL JUSTICE Authorizes application to the Louisiana Risk Review Panel by persons sentenced to life imprisonment under certain conditions.  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
SB	509	C D JONES ELECTION CODE Repeals provision which requires that inactive voters be purged from the roll if they have not voted for a period encompassing two consecutive federal elections. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
SB	510	C D JONES COURTS Provides for the collection of court costs by pretrial diversion programs. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
SB	511	C D JONES CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE Revises statute providing for penalties for possession of the drug GHB (gamma hydroxybutyric acid) or of its analogues to eliminate inaccurate reference to Schedule II (D)(2).  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
SB	512	C D JONES UNEMPLOYMENT COMP Provide incentives to workforce training employers to contract with qualified minority training firms. Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.
SB	513	C D JONES CRIMINAL PROCEDURE  Provides that unsecured personal surety may be posted by any qualified state resident.  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
SB	514	C D JONES FUNDS/FUNDING Provides for investment in approved funds. Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.
SB	515	C D JONES CRIMINAL PROCEDURE Limits the use of subpoenas by the attorney general or a district attorney to the investigatory stage of a criminal prosecution.  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

C D JONES CRIMINAL PROCEDURE
Authorizes counsel for the accused in a criminal prosecution to subpoena persons for questioning.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 516

- SB 517 C D JONES MEDICAID
  Provides for the inclusion of medications used to treat
  HIV/AIDS and Hepatitis C in the drug formulary.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 518 C D JONES CRIME/PUNISHMENT
  Creates the reentry preparation program within the Dept. of
  Public Safety and Corrections and requires each institution
  have a transition specialist.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  JUDICIARY B.
- SB 519 C D JONES JUDGES
  Adds three additional judges for the First Circuit Court of Appeal. (gov sig) (2/3-CA5s9)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 520 C D JONES LIABILITY

  Creates a cause of action for compensation for wrongful conviction and imprisonment.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 521 C D JONES PROBATION/PAROLE

  Reduces the number of votes required by the Board of Parole to grant parole release.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- SB 522 C D JONES DNA
  Extends post conviction relief period within which to file application for DNA testing and provides relative to indigent defense.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- SB 523 C D JONES CRIMINAL PROCEDURE

  Requires electronic recording of custodial interrogations.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  JUDICIARY B.
- SB 524 C D JONES CRIMINAL PROCEDURE
  Authorizes application to the Louisiana Risk Review Panel by persons sentenced to life imprisonment under certain conditions.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- SB 525 C D JONES PARDONS

  Provides relative to eligibility for application to the Board of Pardons for a pardon or commutation of sentence.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- SB 526 C D JONES SUBSTANCE ABUSE
  Authorizes adjudication without guilt as option to conditional discharge for possession as first offense.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- SB 527 C D JONES WEAPONS
  Provides relative to illegal carrying of weapons.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 528 C D JONES CRIMINAL PROCEDURE

  Removes crime of carnal knowledge from the list of crimes the sentences for which may not be diminished for good behavior.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- SB 529 C D JONES HEALTH SERVICES

  Excepts from the prior approval process in the medical assistance drug program those products that can be used as either primary or rescue therapy. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 530 C D JONES PROBATION/PAROLE

  Provides relative to the membership of the board of parole.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  JUDICIARY B.

SB 531 CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE C FIELDS Provides for probation of suspension of sentence for persons convicted of possession with intent to distribute Schedule I drugs. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C. SB 532 CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE Provides for sentencing for first offense distribution or possession with intent to distribute heroin. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C. SB 533 C FIELDS EMPLOYMENT Provides that the minimum wage in Louisiana be equal to the federal minimum wage plus one dollar. Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION. SB 534 C FIELDS EMPLOYMENT Provides for equal pay to employees. Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION. FUNDS/FUNDING SB 535 Creates special fund to assist the elderly and disabled to pay for prescription medications. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. SB 536 C FIELDS PROBATION/PAROLE Authorizes parole eligibility to persons who are at least sixty years of age and have served at least one-half of imposed sentences. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B. SB 537 C FIELDS PROBATION/PAROLE Requires that certain inmates be eligible for medical parole consideration. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B. SB 538 C FIELDS CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE Provides reduced penalties for persons convicted of distribution or possession with intent to distribute of Schedule I narcotic drugs where the amount is less than seven grams. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C. SB 539 C FIELDS VOTERS/VOTING Provides for a closed party primary election system for congressional offices with candidates and voters participating in a first and second primary according to party affiliation. (1/1/04)Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. SB 540 CRAVINS CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS Provides for a uniform training program for correctional officers at technical college campuses. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B. PUBLIC CONTRACTS SB 541 TRONS Allows a private entity to award certain subcontracts to legislators following a competitive bid process. Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. 542 SB HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT IRONS Provides for a children's comfort care center program to render care to children with life-limiting conditions or diseases. (2/3-CA7s2.1A)Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 543 LENTINI MALPRACTICE
Provides for technical changes to Title 40 of the Louisiana
Revised Statutes.
Read by title and referred to the committee on
JUDICIARY A.

SB 544 LENTINI INSURERS
Authorizes only insurers to print power of attorney for criminal

defendant; provides for the reporting and remittance of all premiums due to an insurer; and provides for certain penalties for violations. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 545 LENTINI MALPRACTICE

Provides for technical changes to Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 546 LENTINI SEX OFFENSES

Requires any person required to register as a sex offender to notify any public institution of postsecondaray education at which he is a student or is employed.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 547 LENTINI INSURERS

Provides for certain requirements for bail bond advertising and penalties for improper advertising. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 548 SCHEDLER POSTSECONDARY ED

Requires certain college and university employees to undergo a criminal background history check. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 549 THOMAS ECONOMIC DEVELOP DEPT

Requires employers who receive economic development assistance to offer employees a basic health benefits plan.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 550 THOMAS MALPRACTICE

Changes the time within which a medical malpractice claim shall be dismissed if no action is taken to secure an attorney chairman.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 551 B JONES TAX/TAXATION

Enacts the Uniform Local Sales Tax Code [the UTC] by gathering various provisions applicable to local sales and use taxes and requires local sales tax to be administered and collected in conformity with such provisions. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 552 C D JONES JUVENILE JUSTICE

Provides for sentencing of juveniles based on race to be illegal.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 553 DUPRE FUNDS/FUNDING

Eliminates the cap on mineral revenues that can be part of the balance in the Wetlands Consevation and Restoration Fund. (7/1/04)

Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.

SB 554 DUPRE DWI

Provides for the suspension of driver's license for one year for second and subsequent DWI offenses, with no exceptions, and for installation of an ignition interlock device on all the vehicles of an offender for 6 months after such suspens

Read by title and referred to the committee on

JUDICIARY C.

SB 555 BEAN INSURANCE POLICIES

Requires an insurer to provide certain information to the insured concerning the insured's funeral service provider.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

INSURANCE.

SB 556 MCPHERSON PUBLIC CONTRACTS

Requires legislative approval of certain cooperative endeavor agreements.

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 557 HINES HEALTH CARE

Provides for rebates on the cost of generic drugs on the preferred drug list.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 558 HINES HEALTH CARE

Elimiates the prior approval requirement for certain brand drugs on the preferred drug list.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 559 MCPHERSON SCHOOLS

Provides for calling a special election to be held at the gubernatorial primary for the purpose of submitting an advisory proposition regarding voluntary prayer in schools. Read by title and referred to the committee on

SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

560 MCPHERSON FUNDS/FUNDING SB

Establishes the White Lake Property Fund. (1/1/04)Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.

SB 561 MCPHERSON NATURAL RESOURCES DEPT

> Establishes the White Lake Property Fund and creates the White Lake Property Advisory Board. (1/1/04)
> Read by title and referred to the committee on

FINANCE.

JUVENILE JUSTICE SB 562 C D JONES

> Repeals maximum/minimum sentences for juveniles. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 563 C FIELDS ELECTION CODE

Provides for a closed party primary election system with candidates and voters participating in a first and second primary according to party affiliation, except the party state central committee may permit voting by unaffiliated voters. Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 564 C D JONES **EMPLOYMENT** 

Establishes the state minimum wage at six dollors per hour. Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 565 TRONS MARRIAGE

Provides exceptions from the seventy-two hour delay for certain marriage ceremonies in Orleans Parish.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 566 DNA

Requires DNA testing of persons arrested, convicted, or incarcerated for the commission of any crime of violence and other specified crimes.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 567 INSURANCE POLICIES

Provides for the surrender of a defendant for nonpayment of bail bond premium. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 568 FUNDS/FUNDING

Authorizes certain uses for nonrecurring revenues, authorizes certain deposits into the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund, and eliminates the cap on mineral revenues that can be part of the balance in that fund. (7/1/04)

Read by title and referred to the committee on

FINANCE.

SB 569 CRIME/PUNISHMENT

> Provides for additional crimes the conviction of which prohibits the employment of nonlicensed persons in certain care facilities.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 570 HISTORIC PRESERVATION **IRONS** 

Provides for review of Vieux Carre Commission decisions. (gov

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 571 TRONS SCHOOLS Authorizes the establishment of a laboratory school at the University of New Orleans and provides for its funding.
Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 572 HEALTH CARE Revises provisions limiting charges for copies of certain health care records. Read by title and referred to the committee on

JUDICIARY A.

SB 573 CAIN ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL

Requires public notification of the presence of an underground storage tank.

Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.

574 FUNDS/FUNDING SB DARDENNE

Provides for transition of assistance recipients from cash assistance to self-reliance.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 575

FONTENOT ENVIRONMENT QUALITY DEPT
Provides relative to settlements of Department of Environmental Quality civil penalty assessments.

Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.

SB 576 ENVIRONMENT QUALITY DEPT FONTENOT

Provides relative to certain settlements by DEQ of suits for civil penalties.

Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.

577 ENVIRONMENT QUALITY DEPT SB FONTENOT

Authorizes the secretary of DEQ to issue citations for minor environmental violations.

Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.

SB 578 FONTENOT FUNDS/FUNDING

Requires any MFP formula sent to the legislature subsequent to the March 15th submission to only be resubmitted pursuant to discussions in an open meeting. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

LAW ENFORCEMENT 579 SB M SMITH

Provides relative to weights and standards violations.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 580 LENTINI **INSURERS** 

> Provides for certain requirements and penalties for bail bonds insurers. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 581 LIABILITY INSURANCE T.ENTINI

Defines solicitation of bail bonds; provides for prohibited solicitation; provides for penalties for prohibited solicitation. (gov) (sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

582 SB MARIONNEAUX ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

Requires mandatory notification of affected residents of any environmental contamination that occurs from both man-made and natural sources which have adverse affect on health impacts of people.

Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.

SB 583 MARIONNEAUX AIRCRAFT/AVIATION

Adds a member from Iberville Parish and a member from West Baton Rouge Parish to the board of commissioners of the Louisiana Airport Authority. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 584 MARIONNEAUX REVENUE DEPARTMENT

Authorizes the Department of Revenue to waive interest charged in certain circumstances. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 585 MARIONNEAUX COURTS
Provides that either party aggrieved by a workers' compensation decision shall have the right to take an appeal to the Nineteenth Judicial District Court for trial de novo.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 586 MARIONNEAUX CRIME/PUNISHMENT
Prohibits the sale or rental of video games or computer games having a "mature" rating.
Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 587 MARIONNEAUX APPOINTED OFFICIALS
Limits members of boards and commissions to eight consecutive years of service.

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 588 LENTINI INSURERS

Provides for the appointment and cancellation of bail bond producers. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 589 MARIONNEAUX ELECTION CODE
Provides for dates of congressional elections and other
elections held at the same time as congressional elections.
Read by title and referred to the committee on
SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 590 DARDENNE DENTISTRY
Revises the dental practice act relative to administration of certain types of anesthesia. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))
Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 591 DARDENNE PUBLIC CONTRACTS

Provides relative to cooperative endeavors and requiring the Bond Commission to approve such public contracts. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 592 SCHEDLER HEALTH CARE
Revises the Louisiana Tumor Registry.
Read by title and referred to the committee on
HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 593 SCHEDLER PUBLIC RECORDS

Provides for certain records of the Louisiana Bureau of
Criminal Identification and Information to be exempt from the
Public Records Law.

Read by title and referred to the committee on
SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 594 MCPHERSON WATER/SEWER OPERATORS
Prohibits disposal of residential sewage or treated wastewater offsite without issuance of a permit issued by DEQ.
Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.

SB 595 MOUNT SHERIFFS PEN/RELIEF FUND
Provides for purchase of Vietnam Conflict military service credit, relative to the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund.
(7/1/03)
Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 596 CHAISSON COURTS
Provides relative to reimbursement of expenses for judges of the courts of appeal.
Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 597 MCPHERSON PUBLIC LANDS
Authorizes the state to transfer a certain tract of land in Rapides Parish to the England Economic and Industrial Development District. (gov sig)
Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 598 MCPHERSON CRIME/PUNISHMENT
Makes it a crime to fail to report an observed act of violence

against a person to law enforcement or emergency personnel as soon as it can be communicated.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 599 SCHEDLER CIVIL PROCEDURE

Provides for technical changes to Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 600 SCHEDLER IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Provides for technical changes to Title III, Book II of the Louisiana Civil Code.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 601 LENTINI INSURERS

Provides for certain licensing requirements for the solicitation of bail; provides for certain prohibited activities. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 602 BOISSIERE RETIREMENT CREDIT

Authorizes purchase of out-of-state service credit for employment by school board as "employees."

Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 603 BOISSIERE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS

Authorizes the purchase of part-time service by any active, contributing member of the retirement system. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on

RETIREMENT.

SB 604 BOISSIERE COURTS

Establishes the Housing and Environmental Court in New Orleans. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 605 THEUNISSEN TEACHERS

Establishes the Educators' Right to Teach Act. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 606 HOLDEN ETHICS

Revises nepotism law to allow the employment of a school nurse whose immediate family member is a school board member for that parish.

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 607 HOLDEN TUITION

Establishes a program providing tuition of skill training at public technical colleges for graduates from the La. National Guard's Youth Challenge Program who earn a GED. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 608 HOLDEN SECURITIES

Authorizes the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget to issue emergency revenue anticipation notes. (gov sig)
Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.

SB 609 HOLDEN EDUCATION ACCOUNTABILITY

Prohibits inclusion of an alternative school's criterion-referenced or norm-referenced test scores in the calculation of district accountability.

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 610 HOLDEN CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Prohibits the imposition of the death penalty upon people with mental retardation. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 611 HOLDEN LEGISLATIVE AGENCIES

Authorizes the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget to issue emergency grant anticipation credits to state and local agencies. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on FINANCE.

- SB 612 B JONES MEDICAID

  Re-establishes the Medicaid Estate Recovery Program.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  JUDICIARY A.
- SB 613 C D JONES FAMILY LAW

  Provides relative to the establishment of paternity and the enforcement of child support.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 614 MICHOT CONTRACTORS

  Provides for licensing persons who install and service heating, ventilation, air conditioning, and refrigeration (HVACR) equipment when the work performed cost less than \$50,000.

  (1/1/04)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.
- SB 615 MICHOT HEALTH SERVICES

  Provides for a pilot project consisting of an agreement with private providers at University Medical Center in Lafayette.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on
- SB 616 BARHAM STATE POLICE RET FUND
  Provides relative to retirement benefits for certain state police. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 617 BARHAM WILDLIFE/FISHERIES DEPT
  Gives the Dept. of Wildlife and Fisheries authority to regulate breeding, propagating, selling, and killing of deer and elk.

  (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 618 BARHAM THEFT
  Provides for timber theft. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on AGRICULTURE.

HEALTH & WELFARE.

- SB 619 BARHAM FORESTRY

  Provides for certain requirements relative to the cutting of trees. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on AGRICULTURE.
- SB 620

  BARHAM WILDLIFE RESOURCES

  Provides that land leased to the Wildlife and Fisheries

  Commission or the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries for use
  as a wildlife management area is public land and exempt from ad
  valorem taxation. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 621 MICHOT MOTOR VEHICLES

  Changes the \$25 royalty fee for a Camp Woodmen prestige license plate from an annual fee to a one-time fee. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 622 MICHOT TAX/INCOME/CORPORATE

  Authorizes certain Vision 2020 cluster high technology
  businesses to sell their unused net operating loss carryover
  occurring in an amount equal to at least 75% of the amount of
  the surrendered tax benefit, but no more than \$500,000 per yea
  Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 623 MICHOT LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS
  Requires e-mail notification of certain reports to the legislature and provides that such reports be available electronically.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 624 M SMITH LAW ENFORCEMENT
  Provides relative to violation tickets issued by weights and standards police officers.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 625 IRONS PUBLIC NUISANCES
  Provides for penalties pursuant to the issuance of a final injunction relative to public nuisances.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 626 WORKERS' COMPENSATION Provides relative to benefit eligibility of victims of domestic violence.

> Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

627 SB **IRONS** CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Provides relative to the crimes of simple and aggravated cruelty to animals.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

AGRICULTURE.

IMMOVABLE PROPERTY SB 628 SCHEDLER

> Provides relative to Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes. Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS. Read by title and referred to the committee on

COMMERCE.

629 SB IRONS CRIMINAL PROCEDURE

> Prohibits granting of a continuance in a criminal trial relative to child abuse unless both parties agree to the motion.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 630 PUBLIC HEALTH SCHEDLER

> Provides for Hepatitis A and B vaccinations for attendance at universities in Louisiana.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 631 HOYT SPECIAL DISTRICTS

Creates the St. Landry Parish Cemetery District. Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SB 632 SCHEDLER

Allows retirement communities and developers to benefit from existing economic development programs. Read by title and referred to the committee on

COMMERCE.

SB 633 FUNDS/FUNDING CAIN

Takes 1/2 of 1 cent of the existing hotel/motel tax in Calcasieu Parish and uses it to fund the state parks in Calcasieu Parish. (07/01/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 634 CAIN GAMING

> Expands the aisles between slot machines to make for a safer passage so that persons do not get hurt should they need to exit because of a fire or other hazard.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

635 BOISSIERE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SB

Repeals the alternative contribution plan. (7/1/03)Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

STATE EMPLOYEE RET SB 636 HEITMEIER

Provides for receipt of credit for military service for any legislator serving on January 1, 1997, who is a military retiree

Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 637 HETTMETER EXPROPRIATION

Repeals requirement that DOTD send to the property owner 30 days before the filing of a petition in a "quick take" expropriation an itemized statement of the owner's loss or damage, the methodology used in the estimate, and the names of t Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

638 SB ROADS/HIGHWAYS

Repeals the tolls on the Sunshine Bridge.

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

639 EXPROPRIATION SB HEITMEIER

Increases the time required for property expropriated by DOTD and not used for departmental purposes to be declared excess from 15 years to 25 years.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

PUBLIC CONTRACTS SB 640 HEITMEIER

Exempts certain DOTD consulting service contracts from provisions for state procurement of professional, personal, consulting, and social services. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 641 HEITMEIER TRANSPORTATION/DEV DEPT

Increases the time DOTD has to complete the final estimate and make final payments from 45 days to 180 days. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

642 SB HEITMEIER TRANSPORTATION/DEV DEPT

Decreases the length of time a surety company has to present or plan to assume performance on a contract after default by a contractor on a public works project from 45 days to 15 days. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 643 HEITMEIER PUBLIC CONTRACTS

Provides for DOTD maintenance contracts to be let in accordance with provisions governing DOTD contracts instead of the Public Bid Law. (07/01/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 644 HEITMEIER ROADS/HIGHWAYS

Authorizes the chief engineer of DOTD to close or restrict the use of a highway under certain conditions.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 645 HETTMETER EXPROPRIATION

Provide for technical changes relative to petitions for

expropriation by DOTD.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 646 PUBLIC CONTRACTS HEITMEIER

Provides for an exception to the Public Bid Law in the event of an extreme public emergency.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 647 HEITMEIER BANKS/BANKING

Revises provisions relative to the Louisiana Infrastructure Bank.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 649 HEITMEIER MOTOR VEHICLES

Authorizes the Office of Motor Vehicles to waive on-road driving test if the applicant has successfully completed a driver education course meeting the requirements established by BESE and the Department of Education.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 650 HEITMEIER PUBLIC LANDS

Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in East Baton Rouge Parish from the Division of Administration, State Land Office, to the Department of Transportation and Development. (qov siq)

Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 651 HEITMEIER PUBLIC LANDS

> Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in St. Tammany Parish from the Department of Health and Hospitals and the Department of Culture, Recreation, and Tourism to the Department of Transportation and Development. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on

NATURAL RESOURCES.

PUBLIC LANDS SB 652 HEITMEIER

Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in Vernon Parish from the Department of Transportation and Development to the U.S. Dept. of Army. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

- SB 653 HEITMEIER PUBLIC LANDS
  Authorizes the transfer of certain state property, located in Caldwell Parish from Department of Health and Hospitals and Culture, Recreation and Tourism to the Department of Transportation and Development. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 654 HEITMEIER PUBLIC LANDS
  Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in St.
  Tammany Parish from the Division of Administration to the
  Department of Transportation and Development. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 655 HEITMEIER PUBLIC LANDS
  Authorizes the transfer of certain state property, located in
  Ouachita Parish, from the Board of Education to the Department
  of Transportation and Development. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 656

  HEITMEIER PUBLIC LANDS

  Authorizes transfer of certain state property, located in

  Webster Parish, from the Board of Education (Louisiana Tech
  University), to the Department of Transportation and
  Development. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 657 HEITMEIER PUBLIC LANDS
  Authorizes transfer of certain state property, located in Winn
  Parish, from the Department of Transportation and Development,
  to the office of family support in the Department of Social
  Services. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 658 HEITMEIER BONDS

  Authorizes the issuance of pension obligation bonds to fund all or a portion of the unfunded accrued liability of state retirement systems. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 659 HEITMEIER PUBLIC RECORDS
  Provides for 100-year exemption to public records law for
  military discharge papers filed with local recorder of records.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 660 HEITMEIER LAW ENFORCEMENT
  Authorizes active reserve or auxiliary law enforcement officers to carry weapons under certain conditions.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 661 HEITMEIER VOTERS/VOTING
  Increases the compensation for election commissioners.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 662 HEITMEIER VOTERS/VOTING
  Changes the time polls open on election day.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 663 HEITMEIER GAMING
  Provides the definition of "Louisiana Business" for purposes of the Louisiana Gaming Control Law.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- SB 664 HEITMEIER PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS
  Increases the membership of the Governor's Mansion Commission and provides certain access to property under its control.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 665 HEITMEIER ROADS/HIGHWAYS
  Designates the portion of LA 23 that is in the city of Gretna as the "Mel Ott Parkway".

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

- SB 666 HEITMEIER HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE
  Requires certain health coverge for low protein food products to treat inherited metabolic diseases
  Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.
- SB 667 HEITMEIER TRANSPORTATION/DEV DEPT
  Authorizes DOTD to construct the New Mississippi River Bridge at St. Francisville using the design-build method.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 668 HEITMEIER TELEPHONES
  Authorizes certain telemarketing calls having an intent to complete a sales presentation at a later face-to-face meeting.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.
- SB 669 HEITMEIER AIRCRAFT/AVIATION

  Makes various technical changes relative to laws governing airports.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 670 IRONS CRIME/PUNISHMENT
  Provides for alternative sentencing of offenses of possession of controlled dangerous substances. (1/1/04)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 671 CRAVINS GAMING
  Provides that net slot machine proceeds mandated to supplement thoroughbred and quarter horse purses shall not be withheld in whole or in part from Louisiana-bred thoroughbred and quarter horse races. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- SB 672 FONTENOT LIABILITY
  Extends immunity under the Good Samaritan Law to certain emergency service providers.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 673

  ULLO WILDLIFE/FISHERIES DEPT
  Extends the Fisherman's Gear Compensation Fund for three more years. (07/01/03)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 674 B JONES TAX/TAXATION

  Enacts the Uniform Local Sales Tax Code [the UTC] with respect to a local collector's authority for tax assessment, collection, administration and enforcement by gathering various provisions and placing them in a separate Chapter of Title 47. (7/1/03)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.
- SB 675 FONTENOT AIRCRAFT/AVIATION

  Removes the requirement that ultralight aircraft land on or take off only from an airport, landing field, or landing strip.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 676 ULLO REAPPORTIONMENT

  Redistricts Senate Districts 36 and 37. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 677 IRONS SCHOOLS
  Provides protection from discrimination and harassment for students. (8/1/03)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.
- SB 678 FONTENOT AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES
  Provides relative to the Louisiana Strawberry Marketing Board.
  (7/1/03)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  AGRICULTURE.
- SB 679 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT
  Reorganization of service networks for mental health,
  developmental disabilities, and addictive disorders.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 680 ULLO CEMETERIES

Provides for the definition of a designated trustee required for perpetual or endowed care cemetary mandated trusts. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 681 ULLO CEMETERIES

Increases trust fund requirements for cemeteries contracting for the sale of certain cemetary property and services. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 682 ULLO SPECIAL DISTRICTS

Transfers management and operation of White Lake Wildlife Management Area to the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries. Read by title and referred to the committee on

NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 683 ULLO LOCAL OFFICIALS

Repeals provision for extra compensation for coroners and provides for effective dates.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 684 ULLO LIABILITY

Provides for civil immunity from liability for forceful entry to secure protective custody.

Read by title and referred to the committee on  ${\tt JUDICIARY\ A.}$ 

SB 685 ULLO CIVIL PROCEDURE

Provides for civil immunity for coroners and support staff.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

JUDICIARY A.

SB 686 ULLO LOTTERIES

Provides mechanism for utilization of lottery terminal to display the "Amber Alert" notification.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 687 ULLO ELECTED OFFICIALS

Repeals provision requiring random drug testing of elected officials.

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 688 ULLO PUBLIC CONTRACTS

Provides for acceptance of bids for public works via electronic medium.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 689 ULLO SUNSET LAW

Re-creates the Department of Civil Service. (6/30/03) Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 690 ULLO SUNSET LAW

Re-creates the Department of State. (6/30/03)
Read by title and referred to the committee on
SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 691 ULLO LIABILITY

Exempts from liability certain participants of the "Amber Alert" program. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 692 ULLO TAX/TAXATION

Provides that certain members of the military who are stationed outside of the state on active duty shall not pay any state income tax on their mlitary salary. (7/1/03)

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 693 ULLO LOCAL AGENCIES

Requires certain local governing authorities to notify area legilators prior to hearings regarding a facility that stores hazardous material.

Read by title and referred to the committee on  ${\tt ENVIRONMENT}$  QUALITY.

SB 694 CAMPAIGN FINANCE O'T'ILL Provides that candidates for certain school board and parish council offices for purposes of campaign contribution limits be designated as district offices. Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS 695 SB TJT,T,O Provides for public bodies to hold executive sessions to discuss marketing strategies for economic development. Read by title and referred to the committee on

SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 696 CAMPAIGN FINANCE Provides that the office of marshal for city court are classified as district offices for purposes of campaign finance limitations.

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 697 SUNSET LAW Revises general provisions regarding dates for sunset review and termination of statutory entities. Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 698 TJT,T,O PUBLIC HEALTH Requires hospitals to display laws which mandates reporting instances of abuse or neglect to DHH or local law enforcement in emergency rooms. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 699 LAW ENFORCEMENT Authorizes any law enforcement officer to serve a certified copy of a restraining order or ex parte protective order on any named defendant. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 700 M SMITH SPECIAL DISTRICTS Prohibits electrical power generation by the Sabine River Authority once the level of the Sabine River reservoir reaches 168 feet mean sea level. Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 701 SCHEDLER HOSPITALS Provides relative to classifications for hospital licensing. (10/1/03)Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 702 SCHEDLER PHYSICIANS Provides for physician anti-referral statute similar to the federal Stark provisions. (07/01/03) Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 703 SCHEDLER ELECTROLOGISTS Provides for the membership, terms of office, and domicile of the State Board of Electrolysis Examiners, and to provide for requirements for licensed electrologist instructors. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 704 FUNDS/FUNDING **IRONS** Creates the Housing Development Trust Fund. (7/1/03)Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 705 SCHEDLER CIVIL PROCEDURE Provides that certain records of the La. Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information shall be privileged. Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

706 SB IRONS SCHOOLS Provides for the establishment of a parental involvement demonstration program beginning in the 2003-2004 school year. (qov siq) Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 707 M SMITH FARMING Changes the number of times the Louisiana Agricultural Finance Authority meets. (gov  $\operatorname{sig}$ )

Read by title and referred to the committee on AGRICULTURE.

SB 708 B JONES TAX/TAXATION

Enacts the Uniform Local Sales Tax Code [the UTC] with respect to definitions, exclusions, exemptions, and other prohibitions by gathering various provisions and placing them in a separate Chapter of Title 47.~(7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 709 THEUNISSEN STUDENTS

Enacts the "Driving is a Priviledge" law and suspends a driver's license of certain students who have been expelled or suspended for 10 or more consecutive days from school.

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 710 THEUNISSEN SCHOOLS

Provides for the transfer of a failed public school to a school district operated under the governance of BESE.

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 711 MARIONNEAUX CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Creates the crime of fraudulent acquisition of a credit card. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 712 THEUNISSEN AIRCRAFT/AVIATION

Requires registration, fees, and 5-year renewals of towers below 200' in order to create an inventory of their location which will be accessible to the public. (gov sig) (2/3CA7s2.1(A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 713 HAINKEL SPECIAL DISTRICTS

Prohibits charging certain administrative service fees to grants. (6/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 714 HAINKEL MARRIAGE

Removes the seventy-two hour waiting period between the issuance of the marriage license and the marriage ceremony. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 715 B JONES FISH/FISHING

Regulates the use of trotlines on Lake D'Arbonne. Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 716 B JONES FISH/FISHING

Regulates the use of yo-yo's or trigger devices on Lake D"Arbonne.

Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 717 HOLLIS FUNDS/FUNDING

Adds the Lighthouse for the Blind in New Orleans, Incorporated to the list of groups receiving monies from the "Rehabilitation for the Blind and Visually Impaired Fund."

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 718 HOLLIS FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Eliminates requirement that financial institutions file certificate of authority, incorporation, amendments, and other documents with the secretary of state in addition to OFI and parish records. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 719 B JONES TAX/TAXATION

Provides for a Uniform Electronic Local Return and Remittance System for local sales tax. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 720 HAINKEL FUNDS/FUNDING

Provides for funding of a program for political subdivision and non-profit entity capital outlay projects.

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

- SB 721 HAINKEL INSURANCE RATES

  Creates a flexible rating process for property and casualty insurance rates governed by the commissioner of insurance Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.
- SB 722 HAINKEL FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT
  Relative to computing employer contribution rates, changes the amoritization period for investment gains and losses from 15 years to 30 years. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 723 HAINKEL FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT

  Changes membership of the board of trustees. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  RETIREMENT.
- SB 724 M SMITH MOTOR CARRIERS
  Provides for a safety inspection program for vehicles
  transporting forest products utilizing a mobile unit to conduct
  inspections on a voluntary basis near sawmills, chip mills and
  paper mills.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 725 C D JONES CRIMINAL PROCEDURE

  Authorizes trial court review of the sentence of a person incarcerated at hard labor. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- SB 726 C D JONES JUVENILE JUSTICE
  Provides for the wavier of right to counsel by juveniles. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 727 MCPHERSON FUNDS/FUNDING
  Provides that revenues generated by private entities from the operation, management or control of public lands or facilities shall be subject to legislative review.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 728 C D JONES STATE EMPLOYEE RET

  Adds a judicial administrator and his deputies as eligible judges and officers in Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 729 MCPHERSON ROADS/HIGHWAYS
  Authorizes vehicles traveling under special permits to use a portion of I-49 in Rapides Parish as an alternate route for U.S. Hwy 71, U.S. Hwy. 165, and U.S. Hwy. 167.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 730 LENTINI CRIMINAL PROCEDURE
  Provides for technical changes regarding criminal trial procedure.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 731 C ROMERO SUITS AGAINST STATE

  Provides that claims against the state shall not accrue legal or judicial interest. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 732 C ROMERO FISH/FISHING
  Reduces the minimum size mesh for commercial crawfish traps from 3/4 inch to 11/16 of an inch. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 733 ADLEY ENERGY PRODUCTION

  Provides for automatic termination of drilling units after five years of no activity.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

- SB 734 LENTINI INSURERS

  Provides for the eligibility of judgment debtors under summary judgment to act as sureties on bail. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.
- SB 735 LENTINI INSURANCE RATES
  Provides for certain premium rates on criminal bail bonds;
  prohibits advertisement of bail bond premium rates. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  INSURANCE.
- SB 736 C D JONES FUNDS/FUNDING
  Creates the Rural Town Revitalization Act. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- SB 737 C FIELDS REVENUE SHARING
  Prohibits the distribution of monies through the Revenue
  Sharing Act to any entity which has a policy of not paying
  final judgments obtained against the entity. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  FINANCE.
- SB 738 CAIN LSU SYSTEM

  Establishes the Forensic Science Institute as a joint project of the DPS&C and LSU to provide forensic graduate and DNA database graduate training.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.
- SB 739 SCHEDLER LIABILITY
  Provides for limitation of liability for physicians rendering certain gratuitous emergency services.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 740 SCHEDLER SELF INSURANCE
  Provides an exception when computing security requirement for self-insured hospitals.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.
- SB 741 SCHEDLER DONATIONS
  Provides for technical changes to Title II, Book III, of the Louisiana Civil Code.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 742 MICHOT MALPRACTICE
  Provides relative to emergency medical services rendered on fixed platforms in territorial waters and the Outer Continental Shelf.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 743 MICHOT PRIVILEGES/LIENS
  Provides for the privilege on proceeds recovered by injured persons.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 744 M SMITH MOTOR CARRIERS
  Provides that the limitation on a vehicle transporting forest products in their natural state shall be that the total gross weight shall not exceed 96,600 pounds.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 745 M SMITH CRIME/PUNISHMENT
  Provides relative to the crime of theft of livestock.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  AGRICULTURE.
- SB 746 M SMITH FUNDS/FUNDING
  Prescribes audit requirements for certain state entities with annual revenues of \$50,000 or less. (7/1/03)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 747 HAINKEL PUBLIC LANDS
  Authorizes alternate consideration to extend leases of public lands.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 748 HAINKEL CIVIL PROCEDURE Provides for residents of a nursing home or health care facility to have a personal right of action and assert an injunctive relief action. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

749 SB HAINKEL FUNDS/FUNDING

Establishes the Louisiana Arts and Entertainment Industry Development Fund.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 750 LENTINI SPECIAL DISTRICTS

> Authorizes hospital service districts to engage third parties for the purpose of negotiating payment terms with health insurance organizations on behalf of hospital service districts.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 751 CRIMINAL PROCEDURE

Reduces number of peremptory challenges in non capital felony trials other than those subject to life imprisonment. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 752 LENTINI CRIMINAL PROCEDURE

Authorizes the court in Jefferson Parish to alter the percentage amount of bail to be deposited when posting a bond and to charge an administrative fee.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 753 FONTENOT STATE EMPLOYEE RET

Includes Department of Public Safety police officers as members of the secondary component for public safety services of Louisianan State Employees' Retirement System. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 754 CRAVINS HORSE RACING

Dedicates a portion of revenues derived from the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Economic Development and Gaming Control Act for the Equine Health Studies Program (EHSP) at the LSU School of Veterinary Medicine.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

JUDICIARY B.

755 SB HOYT FAMILY LAW

> Provides relative to the amount of the basic child support obligation.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 756 HOYT CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Removes from the crimes of simple rape and sexual battery the exception provided if the offender is the spouse of the victim. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 757 TYOH PUBLIC HEALTH

Requires DHH to issue licenses governing the installation and maintenance of certain wastewater treatment systems. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.

SB 758 CRAVINS CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Creates the crime of domestic abuse battery. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIĀRY C.

THEUNISSEN POSTSECONDARY ED SB 759

> Creates and provides for the Process Technology Advisory Board. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

CIVIL PROCEDURE SB 760 C ROMERO

Provides relative to legal interest accruing on claims against the state.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 761 SEX OFFENSES

Provides relative to the definition of aggravated rape and to

the conditions of bail relative to such offense.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

JUDICIARY C.

SB 762 MARIONNEAUX CONSUMERS/PROTECTION

Requires that all credit card applications be in writing and signed by the applicant.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 763 M SMITH EMPLOYMENT

Exempts employer-fee-paid employment services from testing, licensing, and bonding requirements.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 764 MARIONNEAUX WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Exempts employers who fail to secure workers' compensation insurance or proper certification of self-insurance status from statutory immunity.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 765 MARIONNEAUX WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Prohibits suspension of surgical procedures during pendency of appeal.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 766 MARIONNEAUX STATE EMPLOYEE RET

Provides for the transfer of service credit to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 767 CHAISSON CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Creates the crime of unlawful refusal to submit to chemical tests to determine blood alcohol content on arrest for third or subsequent offense of driving while intoxicated.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 768 CHAISSON LIABILITY

Provides relative to liability of certain tortfeasors for damages.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 769 CHAISSON CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Creates the crime of refusal to submit to chemical tests to determine blood alcohol content and provides the same penalty as for first offense DWI.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 770 C FIELDS RAILROADS

Prohibits the operation of a locomotive by remote control.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 771 C FIELDS WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Requires party scheduling conference to be responsible for paying any fees charged.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 772 C FIELDS JUDGES

Adds three additional judges to the First Circuit Court of Appeal. (gov sig) (2/3-CA5s9)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 773 BOISSIERE LIABILITY INSURANCE

Provides that a reasonable fee may be charged for crash and accident reports.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 774 BOISSIERE LAW ENFORCEMENT

Requires law enforcement agencies to provide available information relative to a missing child who is believed to be a crime victim to a missing person alerting systems.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 775 BOISSIERE CONSUMERS/PROTECTION

Requires credit reporting agencies to update consumer credit reports on a monthly basis.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 776 HINES NURSING HOMES

Revises certain provisions of law regulating adult residential care homes. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 777 GAUTREAUX ADVERTISING

Provides for the use of 'Cajun" and "Louisiana Creole" in advertising food products. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on AGRICULTURE.

SB 778 HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE

Provides for health insurance coverage for the treatment of certain medically necessary substance related disorders.

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 779 M SMITH AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES

> Provides various changes relative to the Louisiana Egg Commission. (7/1/03)
> Read by title and referred to the committee on

AGRICULTURE.

780 CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION SB IRONS

Requires compliance with the public records law when receiving certain public monies.

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 781 BOISSIERE WATER/SEWER OPERATORS

Prohibits privatization of public facilities unless specifically authorized by law. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.

SB 782 FAMILY LAW

Provides for a schedule of child support.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 783 NATURAL RESOURCES DEPT

Provides for groundwater management within the office of

conservation. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.

784 TAX EXEMPTIONS SB

Clarifies owner and surviving spouse for the purposes of the homestead exemption. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 785 TYOH CONTRACTORS

Provides for the registration of home improvement contractors. Read by title and referred to the committee on

COMMERCE.

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SB

TELECOMMUNICATIONS

Authorizes the Public Service Commission to research the establishment of a statewide regionally based "211" information and referral telephone system.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

787 SB MICHOT PUBLIC RECORDS

Prohibits disclosure of certain records for utility systems owned and operated by political subdivisions.

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

WORKERS' COMPENSATION SB 788 MICHOT

Repeals sunset provision in catastrophic injury compensation statute.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

TEACHERS RETIREMENT 789 SB MICHOT

Permits a member to revoke his election to participate in DROP. Read by title and referred to the committee on

RETIREMENT.

SB 790 MICHOT WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Provides relative to home-based employment.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 791 BARHAM TAX/SALES
Provides that tangible personal property shall not include buildings or other constructions permanently attached to the land for state and local tax purposes. (7/1/03)
Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 792 BARHAM ENVIRONMENT QUALITY DEPT
Authorizes the classification of security sensitive information as confidential. (gov sig)
Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 793 B JONES PHYSICAL THERAPISTS
Provides relative to the practice of physical therapy without a prescription or referral. (gov sig)
Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 794 C D JONES ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
Requires participation with the Department of Labor to
prioritize funding for economic development zones, renewal
communities, and small and disadvantaged businesses.
Read by title and referred to the committee on
COMMERCE.

SB 795 C D JONES WORKERS' COMPENSATION
Provides for attorney fees to be twenty percent of the recovery amount.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 796 CRAVINS JUVENILE JUSTICE

Creates a Louisiana Risk Review Panel to evaluate the risk of danger posed by juveniles in order to make a decision as to whether a juvenile can be released from confinement.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 797 BAJOIE CHILDREN

Requires instructions on laws of mandatory reporting of child abuse prior to receiving teacher certification.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 798 BAJOIE HEALTH SERVICES

Revises provisions relative to acupuncturist's assistants.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 799 BAJOIE HEALTH SERVICES

Provides for changes to state Personal Care Assistance Program.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 800 BAJOIE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
Provides for redemptive period affecting post-adjudication donation of abandoned or blighted property by parishes and municipalities. (gov sig)
Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 801 MARIONNEAUX EMPLOYMENT
Allows certain employers to obtain criminal records of job applicant.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 802 M SMITH FAMILY LAW
Provides relative to the mandatory minimum payment of child support.
Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 803 JOHNSON ELECTION OFFENSES
Provides basis for the Supervisory Committee on Campaign
Finance Disclosure to investigate complaints of improper
conduct and censure such conduct.
Read by title and referred to the committee on
SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 804 JOHNSON FUNDS/FUNDING
Requires the operational cost of the state criminal justice
system to be funded by the state and return surplus funds from
special funds or accounts to the state general fund.
Read by title and referred to the committee on
JUDICIARY C.

SB 805 JOHNSON CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES
Requires the state to pay the costs of incarceration of prisoners and the operational costs of the state criminal justice system.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 806 JOHNSON WEAPONS

Requires all new firearms sold in Louisiana to be equipped with a child safety lock at the time of the sale. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 807 JOHNSON SCHOOLS

Establishes a limited pilot program of state payment of non-public school tuition for early education of children whose families meet certain income requirements. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

SB 808 JOHNSON SPECIAL DISTRICTS
Establishes the Lake Forest Plaza District as a tax increment financing district. (gov sig)
Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 809 JOHNSON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Defines the term "Louisiana Entrepreneurial Business" for economic development purposes.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 810 JOHNSON HOUSING

Creates the Louisiana Housing Innovations Council. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on

HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 811 JOHNSON FUNDS/FUNDING

Dedicates a portion of the proceeds from certain riverboat gaming activities in Orleans Parish to the Orleans Parish School Infrastructure Fund. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 812 JOHNSON LEGISLATIVE AGENCIES

Creates the Louisiana Tax Law Institute. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on

SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 813 JOHNSON TAX/SALES
Increases vendor's compensation for collection of state sales
tax from 1.1% to 1.5%, deletes all dedications, and requires an
amount equal to 37% on 1.5% of the sales tax collected each
fiscal year to be deposited in the Workforce Develop.T
Read by title and referred to the committee on
REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 814 JOHNSON TAX EXEMPTIONS

Provides for restrictions and conditions on certain contracts of tax exemption granted by the Board of Commerce and Industry. (gov sig)

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 815 JOHNSON PUBLIC CONTRACTS

Requires incentives by state agencies for participation in mentor-protege' programs.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 816 JOHNSON ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH
Authorizes imposition of more restrictive ordinances or regulations related to smoking in certain public places in order to protect the health of adults and children.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 817 C FIELDS COURTS

Provides for certain court costs collected in drug cases to be dedicated to fund drug rehabilitaion services.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 818 B JONES CIVIL PROCEDURE
Provides for continuous revision of the Code of Civil
Procedure.
Read by title and referred to the committee on
JUDICIARY A.

- SB 819 DARDENNE WORKERS' COMPENSATION
  Provides for the payment of medical benefits and requires certain documentation of medical treatment.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.
- SB 820 DARDENNE INDIGENT DEFENSE
  Requires one-time fee of \$40 of any criminal defendant seeking representation by an indigent defender board.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 821 SCHEDLER SPECIAL DISTRICTS
  Provides for the name, powers, purpose, and appointment of members to the St. Tammany Parish Economic and Industrial Development District. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- SB 822 SCHEDLER FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS
  Provides requirements for entities which accept funds for investment from any political subdivision.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- SB 823 M SMITH MUSEUMS
  Establishes certain museums as Museums of Local Interest in the office of the state museum in the Department of Culture,
  Recreation and Tourism. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 824 HEITMEIER UNEMPLOYMENT COMP
  Clarifies law to prohibit temporary teachers from receiving unemployment benefits during the summer vacation. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.
- SB 825 B JONES ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
  Authorizes employers to count certain out-of-state employees locating in Louisiana as "new direct jobs" under the Louisiana Quality Jobs Program Act". (07/01/03)
  Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 826 C D JONES MUNICIPALITIES
  Authorizes the city of Monroe to dismantle and remove dangerous and dilapidated structrues within the city limits.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- SB 827 DUPRE TEACHERS RETIREMENT
  Provides for employment of disability retirees as substitute teachers, subject to certain limitations. (7/1/03)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 828 BOISSIERE GAMING
  Authorizes slot machine gaming at eligible live horse racing facility in Orleans Parish.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- SB 829 BARHAM SPECIAL DISTRICTS
  Provides for the creation of the Morehouse Parish Lake Commission.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- SB 830 BAJOIE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
  Authorizes municipalities and parishes to sell certain adjudicated vacant lots by private sale. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- SB 831 FONTENOT LIABILITY
  Provides certain defenses to liability for hazardous substance remedial actions. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 832 **INSURERS** Provides for certain penalties for the failure of a dental referral plan to register with the department. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION. SB 833 HOLDEN SCHOOLS Provides a salary supplement to school psychologists who obtain a national certification when funds are available. Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION. 834 SB HAINKEL TITABTLITTY Provides for limitation of state liability. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A. SB 835 B JONES TAX/TAXATION Requires the Tax Court establish fees for services rendered by the court and its small claims division. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS. SB 836 MCPHERSON SPECIAL DISTRICTS Authorizes municipalities and parishes to provide for the creation of certain business improvement districts. Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS. SB 837 ELLINGTON LIABILITY Provides relative to procedure for asserting claims involving exposure to asbestos against the Louisiana Insurance Guaranty Association. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE. SB 838 ELLINGTON DISEASE CONTROL Provides relative to Boll Weevil referendums. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on AGRICULTURE. SB 839 **JOHNSON** INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS Recognizes the flag of the former Republic of Vietnam as the official flag. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. 840 SB JOHNSON CONDOMINIUMS Authorizes the sale or donation of certain abandoned or blighted properties. Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS. SB 841 GAUTREAUX FIRE PROTECTION Provides for various changes to the "fire extinguisher systems and fire detection and alarm systems" law. Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. SB 842 MCPHERSON COURTS Increases the jurisdictional amount of the Alexandria Citiy Court. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A. SB 843 TELECOMMUNICATIONS MCPHERSON Repeals the five dollar registration fee to register for the "Do Not Call" program. Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. SB 844 ELLINGTON FAMILY LAW Provides for the valuation of goodwill as an asset of community property. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 846 ELLINGTON SPECIAL DISTRICTS

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INTERNET

Creates the Louisiana Rural Internet Access Commission. Read by title and referred to the committee on

SB

845

Creates a downtown developmnet district in the town of Columbia. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 847 SPECIAL DISTRICTS ELLINGTON

Creates a downtown development district in the town of Winnsboro. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 848 ADLEY **INSURERS** 

Provide for Louisiana Insurance Guaranty Association assessments.

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 849 LAW ENFORCEMENT ELLINGTON

> Establishes the Law Enforcement Executive Management Institute. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 850 ELLINGTON HEALTH CARE

> Enacts the Health Care Rights of Conscience Act. (gov sig)

(2/3-CA7s2.1(A))

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

851 SB ELLINGTON CIVIL PROCEDURE

> Reduces the monetary amount in controversy necessary to have a jury trial.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 852 ELLINGTON CIVIL PROCEDURE

Provides relative to the availability of civil jury trials and

mandatory nonbinding arbitration.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 853 ELLINGTON LIABILITY

Provides for a civil claims involving exposure to asbestos and to certain successor liability. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 854 MOTOR VEHICLES ELLINGTON

Requires the width of the fender, cover, or other device on a motor vehicle that is used to minimize the spray of water, mud, or loose material on a road be at least the width of the tire of the vehicle.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 855 ELLINGTON FAMILY LAW

Provides that a gift be included when determining gross income for child support.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 856 MTCHOT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Exempts certain employers from offering a basic health benefit plan in order to qualify for the Louisiana Quality Jobs Program Rebate.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 857 FUNDS/FUNDING B JONES

> Provides for deposit of monies in the Liquified Petroleum Gas Commission Rainy Day Fund.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 858 HAINKEL INSURANCE POLICIES

Provides for certain requirements for the Louisiana Joint Reinsurance Plan and the Fair Access to Insurance Requirements Plan.

> Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

859 ENVIRONMENT QUALITY DEPT SB

Provides that DEQ shall be an indispensible party in actions to recover damages for remediation of groundwater resources.

Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY.

SB 860 DARDENNE USUFRUCT Provides relative to the usufruct of a surviving spouse. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A. SB 861 DARDENNE NURSING HOMES Provides for payment and rate changes in the methodology for reimbursing nursing homes. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. SB 862 DARDENNE TENURE Adds an additional cause for termination of a permanent teacher or school employee, authorizes granting tenure to certain teachers, and provides for tenure hearings to be conducted by an administrative law judge. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION. CRIME/PUNISHMENT SB 863 DARDENNE Expands definition of obscenity to include materials electronically communicated over the Internet. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C. SB 864 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT C D JONES Provides for powers, duties, and functions of the Southside Economic Development District. Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS. 865 SB SOCIAL SERVICES DEPT Establishes a pilot program for post-release facilities. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B. SB 866 SCHEDLER OCCUPATIONAL THERAPISTS Provides for increased sources of referral for occupational therapists and for access without referral for limited services. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. SB 867 SCHEDLER LSU SYSTEM Revises the structure of the LSU Health Sciences Center-Health Care Service Division. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. SPECIAL DISTRICTS SB 868 JOHNSON Provides relative to the Lake Forest Estates Improvement District. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS. SB 869 JOHNSON HEALTH CARE Prohibits smoking in all areas of the Louisiana Superdome. Read by title and referred to the committee on ENVIRONMENT QUALITY. SB 870 SPECIAL DISTRICTS Provides relative to the Huntington Park Subdivision Improvement District. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS. SB 871 **JOHNSON** SCHOOLS Creates a construction and modernization pilot program for public schools. Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION. PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECT DEPT SB 872 JOHNSON Limits housing state prisoners in Orleans Parish Jail for not longer than nine months from imposition of sentence. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B. SB 873 JOHNSON PARISHES Authorizes an increase in the penalty for illegal dumping in Orleans Parish. Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

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PARISHES

Authorizes an increase in the penalty for illegal dumping in

Orleans Parish.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

SB 875 MOUNT CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Increases penalties for the crimes of aggravated assault upon a peace officer with a firearm and aggravated assault with a firearm.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 876 MOUNT NURSING HOMES

Prohibits an offer of temporary employment at a care facility of any nurse aide prior to completion of a criminal history check.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 877 MOUNT DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Expands access to registry of protective orders to include all of DSS. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on  ${\tt JUDICIARY\ C.}$ 

SB 878 MOUNT CHILDREN

Expands the potential purposes of the central registry of abuse reports maintained by DSS. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

SB 879 MOUNT TAX/TAXATION

Provides that certain members of the military called to active duty shall not pay state income taxes on their military salary. (7/1/03)

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 880 MALONE MINERALS

Repeals provision relative to the imprescriptibility of mineral rights when held by certain charitable and nonprofit organizations.

Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 881 MALONE SENATE

Provides for redistricting of the Louisiana Senate. Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 882 MALONE ELECTION CODE

Authorizes certain elected officials to contest the candidacy of a person in a primary election.

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 883 MALONE ENERGY TRANSPORTATION

Exempts certain records of the office of conservation pertaining to pipeline security from public records law. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 884 MALONE UTILITIES

Requires participation in regional notification center by municipalities and parish governments. (gov sig)
Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 885 MALONE TAX/TAXATION

Repeals suspension of educational income tax credit. (gov sig or 07/01/03)

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 886 HOYT COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS

Prohibits the home solicitation of any person where the loan encumbers the primary residence of the consumer for purposes of home improvements.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

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SB 887 HOYT EMPLOYMENT

Provides relative to noncompete contracts.

Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

SB 888 DARDENNE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Creates the "Louisiana Major Projects Development Authority Act". Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS. SB 889 HAINKEL PUBLIC EMPLOYEES Provides for removal of public employees for conviction of a felony. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. 890 SB CONFIRMATION HAINKEL Removes the required Senate reconfirmation for certain boards and commissions. Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. 891 SB CRAVINS JUDGES Adds a judge in the 16th Judicial District Court. (qov siq) Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A. SB 892 MTCHOT TAX/AD VALOREM Requires real property sales validation questionnaire to be filed with transfers of real property and to be sent by the registrar or conveyances to the assessor. Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS. SB 893 CHAISSON RAILROADS Provides regulations for railways and railroads which cross public roads. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS. 894 SB HOLLIS SALES Provides for a sales tax relief day for taxpayers. Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SB 895 Provides for staggered terms of office for members of the State Board of Commerce and Industry. Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. 896 ECONOMIC DEVELOP DEPT SB HOLLIS Abolishes the La. Film and Video Commission within DED and creates the Governor's Office of Film and Television Development with its authority. Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. SB 897 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT HOLLIS Makes various changes to the Louisiana Economic Development Corporation Board. Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. SB 898 HOLLIS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Allows a minimum of \$1 million to be annually appropriated to DED from the marketing fund for "marketing education " and for "advertising, marketing, and promotional activities". Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. SB 899 ECONOMIC DEVELOP DEPT HOLLIS Exempts certain employers from offering a basic health benefits plan in order to qualify for the "Louisiana Quality Jobs Program Act" Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call. SB 900 LOCAL EMPLOYEES BOISSIERE Authorizes certain persons to forward warrants to the director of the Department of Public Safety. Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS. SB 901 ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

Authorizes adoption of stringent local ordinances regulating

Read by title and referred to the committee on

smoking

HEALTH & WELFARE.

- SB 902 BAJOIE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
  Authorizes municipalities and parishes to sell certain
  adjudicated vacant lots by public or private sale. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- SB 903 BOISSIERE WATER/SEWER OPERATORS
  Requires the New Orleans Sewerage and Water Board to develop a formula for equitable expenditure of monies on drainage problems throughout the city of New Orleans. (7/1/03)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- SB 904 HAINKEL FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS
  Authorizzes the levy of an additional occupational license tax at 50% of the rates set forth in present law to be used only for local or regional economic development. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.
- SB 905 SCHEDLER FUNDS/FUNDING

  Dedicates monies to the Special Population Health Care Trust

  Fund for health care services for the indigent. (7/1/03)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 906 BOISSIERE HOUSING
  Creates the "Affordable Housing Accessibility Act". (1/1/04)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 907 DARDENNE WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
  Provides for individual, standardized training for incumbent
  workers and unemployment insurance functions.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  LABOR & IND RELATION.
- SB 908 HAINKEL EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

  Provides relative to Model Health Emergency Powers Act.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 909 CAIN TELECOMMUNICATIONS
  Allows wireless telephone subscribers to register wireless telephone numbers with the Public Service Commission for placement on the "Do Not Call" list.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.
- SB 910 M SMITH MOTOR VEHICLES
  Authorizes a 5% variance in weight for vehicles transporting forest products.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SB 911 MICHOT LOCAL EMPLOYEES

  Authorizes Lafayette Consolidated Government park rangers to receive municipal police supplemental pay.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 912 MICHOT TAX/SALES

  Establishes a sales tax holiday for certain types of proerty for a limited period of time each year. (07/01/03)

  Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 913 MICHOT TAX/INCOME/PERSONAL
  Provides that certain members of the military called to active duty shall not pay state income tax on their military salary.

  (gov sig)
  Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 914 MICHOT TAX/TAXATION

  Provides for a Uniform Local Sales Tax Code (UTC); makes all definitions (exclusions) in the sales tax law, all exemptions in such law on July 1, 2003, and state collection provisions applicable to local sales tax. (7/1/03)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.
- SB 915 MALONE LOCAL ELECTIONS
  Provides for parish referendum elections on the operation of establishments conducting exotic dancing. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 916 MALONE ELECTION CODE Provides for additional information relating to a a candidate's qualification form. Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. SB 917 MALONE MOTOR CARRIERS Exempts motor carriers of salt water from proving public convenience and necessity. Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. 918 SB MALONE PSYCHOLOGISTS Repeals immunity from liability for certain individuals acting for, with, or on behalf of the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A. SB 919 MALONE GAMING Authorizes the state to enter into Indian gaming compacts with up to 7 year terms and provides a process for compact negotiation and approval. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B. AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE SB 920 MALONE Increases automobile insurance requirements for property damages. Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE. 921 TAX/TAXATION SB MALONE Provides for an innocent spouse rule to collection of taxes due from businesses. (07/01/03) Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call. SB 922 CRAVINS CRIME/PUNISHMENT Authorizes application to the Louisiana Risk Review Panel by persons sentenced to life imprisonment for certain crimes. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B. SB 923 HOYT FRAUD Provides for technical changes to Title IV, Book III, of the Louisiana Civil Code. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A. SB 924 MICHOT HOSPITALS Provides relative to long-term acute care hospital beds and the Medicaid Program. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. SB 925 MOUNT LAW ENFORCEMENT Provides for inclusion of the Lake Charles Harbor and Terminal Police relative to supplemental pay for police. Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. SB 926 ADLEY PUBLIC MEETINGS Provides procedure for the presentation and consideration of offer to sell a commodity to, or to assume operation or acquire ownership of, a utility owned or operated by a public body. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. SB 927 ADLEY REAPPORTIONMENT Redistricts Senate Districts 36 and 37. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 928 ENERGY PRODUCTION ADLEY

> Provides for termination of drilling units that have been inactive for five years or longer.

Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

929 SB BOATS/BOATING

Provides privilege for the collection of rents and fees in (7/1/03)marinas.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 930 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT Provides for an extension of the moratorium on the licensure of methodone maintenance clinics and for license revocation. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. SB 931 ELLINGTON FAMILY LAW Provides for the peremptive period in which to annul an adoption. (7/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A. SB 932 CIVIL PROCEDURE HAINKEL Provides for the proper venue for actions against the state relative to coastal wetlands conservation. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A. SB 933 ECONOMIC DEVELOP DEPT IRONS Abolishes the La. Film and Video Commission within DED and creates the Governor's Office of Film and Television Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE. Development with its authority. SB 934 HAINKEL ROADS/HIGHWAYS Provides for limitation of public liability for the damages related to use of public roads and highways. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A. SB 935 RETIREMENT SYSTEMS HAINKEL Creates the Louisiana Board of Pension Administration and the Public Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana. (01-01-04)Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT. NURSING HOMES SB 936 HINES Moves regulation of adult residential facilities from DSS to DHH. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. SB 937 HINES OPTOMETRISTS Relative to the practice of optometry. Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. SB 938 SCHEDLER LEGISLATIVE AGENCIES Provides for the legislative actuary.(07-01/03) Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS. SB 939 C D JONES TAX/TAXATION Grants an income tax credit of \$200 per year for the employment of students and previously incarcerated individuals. (1/1/04) Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call. SB 940 C D JONES EMPLOYMENT Provides for customized training for all employees of a business participating in the workforce development training program. Read by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION. SB 941 FAMILY LAW Provides relative to the right of adopted persons. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A. 942 SB PUBLIC LANDS To authorize the secretary for the Department of Health and Hospitals and the commissioner of administration, to enter into an agreement with respect to the exchange of certain properties in Washington Parish. (gov sig) Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. 943 SB DEAN SCHOOLS Establishes the La. Opportunity Scholarship Program. (7/1/03)Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION. SB 944 DEAN CAMPAIGN FINANCE

Prohibits campaign contributions to a candidate unless the

contributor can vote for the candidate. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SB 945 ELLINGTON FAMILY LAW
Provides relative to procedures for adoption.
Read by title and referred to the committee on

JUDICIARY A.

SB 946 ELLINGTON FAMILY LAW

Provides relative to procedures for adoption.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 947 M SMITH FAMILY LAW

Limits the liability for a pastoral counselor operating under the requirements of a covenant marriage.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 948 BARHAM WILDLIFE/FISHERIES DEPT

Provides that the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission and the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries have sole authority to regulate hunting. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

SB 949 SCHEDLER USUFRUCT

Provides relative to requiring security for a usufruct. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

SB 950 M SMITH MOTOR VEHICLES

Provides relative to penalties for overweight trucks.
Read by title and referred to the committee on
TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 951 DEAN PILOTS

Authorizes any person licensed as a pilot by the U.S. Coast Guard to be employed as a pilot on a vessel on any navigable state waters.

Read by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

SB 952 B JONES TAX/TAXATION

Creates and provides for Tax Court as an administrative agency in the office of the governor. (gov sig)

Read by title and referred to the committee on

Read by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

SB 953 DARDENNE LEVEES

Provides for the expansion of legal servitude on the main line levee of the Mississippi River in East Baton Rouge Parish to construct walkways and bike paths.

Read by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

SB 954 CRAVINS PROBATION/PAROLE

Provides alternatives to parole or probation revocation for technical violators.

Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 955 GAUTREAUX INSURERS

Provides for certain requirements for determining the value of surplus and undivided profits

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 956 ADLEY HOSPITALS

Redefines rural hospital.

Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.

SB 957 CRAVINS JUVENILES

Provides with respect to reform of Juvenile Justice. Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

SB 958 IRONS INSURERS

Requires health insurers to cover certain medically prescribed contraceptives and contraceptive services. (10/1/03)

Read by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

SB 959 HAINKEL RETIREMENT SYSTEMS
Creates the Louisiana Board of Pension Administration and the

Public Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana. Read by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 960 BAJOIE JUVENILES

Provides with respect to reform of Juvenile Justice.

Read by title and referred to the committee on

JUDICIARY B.

- SB 961 C D JONES TAX/INCOME/PERSONAL
  Grants an additional deduction of \$4,500 for any tax year in which any person was a full-time student for at least 9 months of such tax year and provides that if both spouses are full-time students, the additional deduction is \$9,000. (1/1/Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 962 CRAVINS HEALTH CARE
  Creates a Health Care Fair Billing Act.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 963 CRAVINS CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES
  Provides for the closure of Swanson Correctional Center for
  Youth-Madison Parish Unit at Tallulah, Louisiana.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  JUDICIARY B.
- SB 964 B JONES HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT
  Provides relative to abuse and neglect of adults, hearings and emergency protective orders.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 965 MICHOT COURTS

  Provides relative to small claim courts.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 966 SCHEDLER CHILDREN

  Provides for the membership of the Children's Cabinet and its advisory board, and extends its termination date. (gov sig)

  Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 967 JOHNSON ECONOMIC DEVELOP DEPT
  Changes the name of the Small and Emerging Business Advisory
  Council to the Small Business Entrepreneurship Council and
  provides for additional members and functions.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  COMMERCE.
- SB 968 B JONES MEDICAID
  Provides for DHH's right to recover medical assistance payments.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 969 BOISSIERE CIVIL PROCEDURE
  Repeals Section 3 of Act 734 of the 1999 Regular Session. (gov sig)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 970 MARIONNEAUX FAMILY LAW

  Provides relative to the enforcement of child support.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

  JUDICIARY A.
- SB 971 BOISSIERE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
  Grants a credit of up to \$5,000 per year against any income and corporation franchise tax for qualified contributions made for the construction, operation, protection, or maintenance of qualified urban greenspace. (1/1/04)

  Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 972 BOISSIERE PARISHES
  Provides for the maximum penalties that can be imposed by ordinance in certain parishes for dumping trash and other substances

  Read by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- SB 973 BOISSIERE ROADS/HIGHWAYS
  Provides for the procedure of certain appointments to the board of commissioners of the Regional Transit Authority.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on

TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

- SB 974 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT
  Relative to the Mental Health Rehabilitation Program.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 975 DARDENNE FAMILY LAW
  Provides for the increase the time within which to object to relocation relative to child custody.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 976 MARIONNEAUX TAX/SALES
  Grants a state sales tax exemption for the purchases of fuel by certain school bus drivers. (gov sig)
  Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 977 CRAVINS HEALTH CARE
  Establishes the Adult Day Health Care program in the Department of Social Services.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 978 CRAVINS LEGISLATION

  Provides relative to Title 14 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.
- SB 979 MICHOT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
  Provides relative to Title 51 of the Revised Statutes of 1950.
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  COMMERCE.
- SB 980 CRAVINS FUNDS/FUNDING
  Creates Corrections Reinvestment Fund for use for prisoner rehabilitation programs. (7/1/03)
  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- SB 981 CRAVINS HORSE RACING
  Provides relative to written agreements between the Horsemen's
  Benevolent and Protective Association and persons,
  associations, or corporations licensed by the commission to
  conduct horse racing in the state for any stakes, purses, or rew
  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  COMMERCE.
- SB 982 DARDENNE INSURANCE POLICIES

  Provides for the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance
  Corporation and plans for underwriting and joint reinsurance.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on
  INSURANCE.
- SB 983 DARDENNE SEX OFFENSES

  Provides for termination of the parental rights of a parent convicted of sexually abusing their children.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- SB 984 FONTENOT ELECTION OFFENSES

  Provides relative to reimbursement of cost and expenses of primary elections.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SB 985 MICHOT SCHOOLS

  Creates the La. Parental Choice in Education Program to provide a means for parents of certain school children to choose among school, incuding private schools, for enrolllment at no cost to the parent.

  Read by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.
- SB 986 IRONS LOCAL RETIREMENT
  Authorizes eligible members to elect to participate in the
  Deferred Retirement Option Plan on a retroactive basis and
  receive a lump sum benefit of up to five years based upon the
  value of the pension at the retroactive date selected.
  Introduced in the Senate, rules suspended, read first and
  second time by title and referred to the committee on
  RETIREMENT.
- SB 987 C ROMERO WATER QUALITY
  Creates the Henderson Lake Commission to provide long term

- planning, preservation and management of the lake.
  Introduced in the Senate, rules suspended, read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- SB 988

  Introduced in the Senate, rules suspended, read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 989

  Introduced in the Senate, rules suspended, read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- SR 1 LAMBERT LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS
  Resolves that a committee be appointed to notify the House that the Senate has convened and organized and is prepared to transact business.
  Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title,
- rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR 2 LAMBERT LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS

  Resolves that a committee of five members be appointed to act with a similar House committee to notify the governor that the legislature has convened and organized and is prepared to receive his communications.

  Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title,
- SR 3

  Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.

rules suspended, adopted.

- SCR 1 LAMBERT CONGRESS

  Memorializes Congress to hold a national referendum to maintain the words "one nation under God" in the Pledge of Allegiance.

  Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title.

  Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 34 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR 2 LAMBERT LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS
  Invites the governor to address a joint session of the legislature on Monday, March 31, 2003 at 1:00 p.m.
  Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title.
  Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 34 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
  Received from the House without amendments.